



This is a digital copy of a book that was preserved for generations on library shelves before it was carefully scanned by Google as part of a project to make the world's books discoverable online.

It has survived long enough for the copyright to expire and the book to enter the public domain. A public domain book is one that was never subject to copyright or whose legal copyright term has expired. Whether a book is in the public domain may vary country to country. Public domain books are our gateways to the past, representing a wealth of history, culture and knowledge that's often difficult to discover.

Marks, notations and other marginalia present in the original volume will appear in this file - a reminder of this book's long journey from the publisher to a library and finally to you.

### Usage guidelines

Google is proud to partner with libraries to digitize public domain materials and make them widely accessible. Public domain books belong to the public and we are merely their custodians. Nevertheless, this work is expensive, so in order to keep providing this resource, we have taken steps to prevent abuse by commercial parties, including placing technical restrictions on automated querying.

We also ask that you:

- + *Make non-commercial use of the files* We designed Google Book Search for use by individuals, and we request that you use these files for personal, non-commercial purposes.
- + *Refrain from automated querying* Do not send automated queries of any sort to Google's system: If you are conducting research on machine translation, optical character recognition or other areas where access to a large amount of text is helpful, please contact us. We encourage the use of public domain materials for these purposes and may be able to help.
- + *Maintain attribution* The Google "watermark" you see on each file is essential for informing people about this project and helping them find additional materials through Google Book Search. Please do not remove it.
- + *Keep it legal* Whatever your use, remember that you are responsible for ensuring that what you are doing is legal. Do not assume that just because we believe a book is in the public domain for users in the United States, that the work is also in the public domain for users in other countries. Whether a book is still in copyright varies from country to country, and we can't offer guidance on whether any specific use of any specific book is allowed. Please do not assume that a book's appearance in Google Book Search means it can be used in any manner anywhere in the world. Copyright infringement liability can be quite severe.

### About Google Book Search

Google's mission is to organize the world's information and to make it universally accessible and useful. Google Book Search helps readers discover the world's books while helping authors and publishers reach new audiences. You can search through the full text of this book on the web at <http://books.google.com/>

AN

HISTORICAL SKETCH

OF THE

Redwood Library and Athenæum,

IN NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND.

---

BY DAVID KING, M.D.

---



BOSTON:

PRINTED BY JOHN WILSON AND SON,

22, SCHOOL STREET.

1860.



## HISTORICAL SKETCH.

---

**T**HE REDWOOD LIBRARY AND ATHENÆUM owes its origin to a literary and philosophical Society, which was established in Newport in the year 1730. This Society\* was composed of some of the most respectable men of the town of Newport; at that period, one of the most remarkable in the American Colonies, for its wealth, learning, and public spirit. Its origin is connected with a splendid name in literature and philosophy.† The celebrated Bishop Berkeley, who resided at this time on Rhode Island, encouraged the formation of this Institution, and participated in its discussions. He was the intimate friend of some of its members, and the charm of his conversation undoubtedly gave a delightful interest to its meetings. Berkeley resided on Rhode Island from January, 1729, to September, 1731; and, from frequent intercourse with these vigorous-minded men, derived that knowledge of American character, which prompted his Muse to utter the prophetic declaration, —

“Westward the star of empire takes its way.”

At that period, the advantages of the Association depended on a system of weekly debates and conversations upon questions of utility or interest. The formation of a library was subsequently considered by them as one of the most powerful means of accomplishing their

---

\* The following gentlemen were members of this Society: Daniel Updike, Peter Bours, James Searing, Edward Scott, Henry Collins, Nathan Townsend, jun., James Honyman, jun., Jeremy Condy, Samuel Wickham, Thomas Ward, Josias Lyndon, John Callender, jun., Sueton Grant, John Brett, Charles Bardin, Hezekiah Carpenter, Joseph Jacob, Joseph Sylvester, John Checkley, jun., William Ellery, John Adams, Daniel Hubbard, John Wallace, Stephen Hopkins, and Samuel Johnson.

† See the very interesting Biographical Sketches of the Rhode-Island Bar, by Wilkins Updike, Esq.

original purpose, — “the promotion of knowledge and virtue.” The system of debates was gradually laid aside, and the energies of the Society were solely directed to the collection of valuable books. Had the establishment of a Library constituted, originally, an object of the Society, the valuable books given by Bishop Berkeley to Yale College and Harvard University, on his departure from Newport in 1731, would undoubtedly have been presented by him to this Institution, to individual members of which he was strongly attached.

In the accomplishment of this new object, a great impulse was given by ABRAHAM REDWOOD, Esq.; who, in 1747, placed at the disposal of the Society five hundred pounds sterling, for the purchase of standard books in London. To give permanence and usefulness to his donation, Mr. Redwood enjoined on the Society the duty of erecting an edifice, as a depository for such books as might be purchased. In pursuance of their object, a charter of incorporation was obtained in 1747; and the Society, in honor of their most liberal benefactor, assumed the name of the REDWOOD-LIBRARY COMPANY. For the erection of a library building, five thousand pounds were almost immediately subscribed by different citizens of the town. HENRY COLLINS, Esq.,\* proved a noble co-adjutor of Mr. Redwood; and presented in June, 1748, to the Company, the lot of land then called Bowling Green, on which the present Library edifice now stands.

The Library Building, which is a beautiful specimen of the Doric order, was commenced in 1748, and completed in 1750. The plan was furnished by Peter Harrison, Esq., assistant architect of Blenheim House, England. He also superintended the erection of the edifice, with the Committee of the Company, consisting of Samuel Wickham, Henry Collins, and John Tillinghast. The master-builders were Wing Spooner, Samuel Green, Thomas Melvil, and Israel Chapman. The principal front is ornamented with a portico of four Doric columns, seventeen feet in height, and projecting nine feet from the walls of the building. The edifice consists of a main building, and two small wings on each side, ranging in a line parallel with the west end

---

\* Henry Collins was a merchant of Newport, distinguished for his wealth, liberality, and taste. He employed Smibert, who came out with Dean Berkeley, to take the portraits of Callender, Clap, Hitchcock, and Berkeley. Smibert was an excellent artist, and had been previously patronized, while at Florence, by the Grand Duke of Tuscany. The portrait of Henry Collins taken by Smibert is supposed to be in the possession of some branch of the Flagg Family; but the proprietors of the Library have not, as yet, been enabled to obtain it.

of the building. The wings furnish two rooms, of about twelve feet square. The principal Library room, occupying the whole of the main building, is thirty-seven feet long, twenty-six feet broad, and nineteen feet in height. The edifice is lighted by seven whole windows, and three attic windows in the east and west ends. The three whole windows in the east end are beautifully enriched with tasteful architectural ornament. As a matter of local interest, it may be mentioned, that, in their first plan, the proprietors contracted for three attic windows on the north, west, and south sides; making, in all, twelve whole windows and nine attic windows. The east end was to contain only one large Venetian window. The Library Building, on the outside, is worked in imitation of rustic, and is adorned by the ornaments appropriate to the Doric order. The whole building is supported by a substantial foundation, raised several feet from the ground.

The first meeting of the Redwood-Library Company, after their incorporation, was held in the Council Chamber, in Newport, on the last Wednesday of September, 1747. The following gentlemen were chosen officers of the Institution: Abraham Redwood, Rev. James Honyman, Rev. John Callender, Henry Collins, Edward Scott, Samuel Wickham, John Tillinghast, and Peter Bours, *Directors*; Joseph Jacob, *Treasurer*; Edward Scott, *Librarian*; and Thomas Ward, *Secretary*.

At a meeting of the company in the Council Chamber, on the 4th of July, 1748, the Directors presented a catalogue of the books which they proposed to purchase in London. The liberal share given in this catalogue to the ancient classics evinced a disposition to provide for the scholar the objects of his favorite study. In these times of customary appeal to direct utility, we fear a less liberal expenditure would be allowed for the gratification of classical taste. This catalogue, with Mr. Redwood's bills of exchange, was sent immediately to Mr. John Thomlinson, Esq., of London, who appears to have satisfactorily executed the commission of the Society. He was elected an Honorary Member in 1749.

A system of laws for the regulation of the Company, drawn up by Daniel Updike, James Honyman, jun., Thomas Ward, and Matthew Robinson, Esqs.,\* was adopted at a meeting in March, 1750. In 1750,

---

\* For the high character of these men, see Updike's Sketches of the Rhode-Island Bar.

a tax of twelve hundred pounds was assessed on the members of the Company, to defray the expense of completing the building.

In 1755, the Rev. Ezra Stiles was admitted an Honorary Member of the Society. His distinction as a scholar and theologian, connected with his exertions in behalf of the Library, justifies some allusion to his character in an historical sketch of the Institution. The Redwood Library, at the time of his settlement in Newport, contained about one thousand five hundred volumes of standard books. The classical and theological departments were the most valuable, and constituted the principal attraction which determined Dr. Stiles to fix his residence in Newport. He remained in Newport twenty years; and, during the greater portion of the time, officiated as Librarian of the Company. Having constant access to this valuable collection of books, he drew from it, by assiduous study, his great and various learning. He held an extensive correspondence with European scholars; and the principal object of that correspondence was to illustrate and perfect those researches and investigations in philosophy, history, antiquities, and physical science, to which his mind had been prompted by the perusal of books which he found on our shelves. His zeal for the diffusion of knowledge led him to solicit for the Library valuable works from European authors. Many of these works, obtained through his instrumentality, are still preserved in the Library. The copy of Montanus's "Hebrew Bible and Dictionary" now belonging to the Library enabled him to perfect his knowledge of the Hebrew language; and a folio copy of "Homer" still bears the marks of his profound study, in the form of Greek annotations, in his own handwriting. He was one of the most eloquent advocates of liberty in the Colonies, before the Revolution. The late Dr. Channing says of him, "To the influence of this distinguished man, in the circle in which I was brought up, I may owe, in part, the indignation which I feel toward every invasion of human rights. In my earliest years, I regarded no human being with equal reverence." His rare learning, eloquence, and goodness, uniformly supported by tradition, have received, of late, the attestation of great names. The eloquent eulogy pronounced upon this gifted and extraordinary man by Chancellor Kent will preserve for many generations the memory of his attainments, genius, and virtue.

In 1770, the proprietors, to evince their grateful sense of Mr. Redwood's exertions for the advancement of the Institution, requested him to sit for his picture; the expense of which was to be defrayed from the Company's treasury. After repeated solicitations, Mr. Redwood,

in 1773, gave his consent, agreeably to the wishes of the Company. David Cheeseborough, Thomas Vernon, and John Bours, Esqs., were appointed a Committee to carry the vote of the Society into execution. This painting was probably executed; but it is doubtful whether it was ever placed in the Library. The beautiful portrait which, at the present time, adorns the walls of the Library room, was copied by Charles B. King, Esq., from an original portrait of Mr. Redwood; and was generously presented by him to the Society in 1817.

No meetings of the Library Company were held from 1778 to 1785. During the Revolution, the town of Newport was occupied by various armies. The disastrous state of the town compelled many of the best citizens\* to leave their homes, and to seek shelter for themselves and families in the more secure retreats of the country. The tumults of war and revolution interrupted the peaceful pursuits of literature, and exerted a chilling influence on the growth of knowledge, and the prosperity of institutions like that which forms the subject of our sketch. During the war, the Library Building is said to have been defaced, and many of the books carried off. To the honor of Gen. Prescott, it is said, that, on being informed of the exposed state of the Library, he stationed a military guard to protect it from further injury and depredation.

At a meeting of the Company, held at Mr. Townsend's Hotel on the 14th of October, 1785, — it being the first meeting after the conclusion of the war of the Revolution, — the following gentlemen were chosen officers of the Institution: Hon. Abraham Redwood, Stephen Ayrault, William Vernon, John Malbone, Jonathan Easton, Nicholas P. Tillinghast, Jacob Richardson, and Robert Stevens, *Directors*; William Channing, *Secretary*; Christopher Ellery, *Librarian*; Stephen Ayrault, *Treasurer*. Several important objects engaged the attention of the Society: the principal were the remission of the annual tax from 1778 to 1785, the repair of the Library edifice, the recovery of missing books, and the formation of a catalogue of the Library. William Vernon, Henry Marchant, and William Channing, Esqs., were appointed to apply to the Honorable General Assembly, at their next session, for a renewal of the charter of the Company, with alterations and amendments.

The Society experienced a great misfortune in the death of Mr.

---

\* Mr. Redwood resided, during the Revolutionary War, on his farm in Mendon, Mass.



Redwood, the founder of the Library, March 6, 1788. Beneficent objects seemed to have occupied the mind of Mr. Redwood, as will appear from the following obituary notice taken from the "Newport Herald," March 13, 1788: "Last Saturday morning, died the Hon. Abraham Redwood, in the seventy-ninth year of his age. He was blessed with an ample fortune and a liberal spirit, which prompted him to encourage useful learning and relieve the distresses of mankind. He founded the Library in this town. He subscribed largely to a college to be built in this State, on condition that it should be established in the county of Newport. He subscribed five hundred pounds sterling towards a university proposed to be erected in this town; and he offered the same sum to the Society of Friends, of which he was a member, to endow a school in this place for the instruction of Friends' children. His less public acts of generosity will be gratefully remembered by those on whom they were conferred; and the poor will never forget that Abraham Redwood was their constant friend and benefactor." It is understood that Mr. Redwood removed to Newport from Antigua, where he possessed large and valuable estates.

After his death, the public interest in the prosperity of the Institution seems to have declined. A period of great success in the commerce of the town was allowed to pass away without bringing new resources for the accomplishment of the objects of the Institution. In fact, its very existence, at one time, depended on the resolution and efforts of a few individuals. The late Dr. Channing, in a discourse delivered at Newport in 1836, alludes to the neglected condition of the Library at this period, during which he pursued his studies in this town. He says, "I had no professor or teacher to guide me; but I had two noble places of study. One was yonder beautiful edifice, now so frequented and so useful as a Public Library; then so deserted, that I spent day after day, and sometimes week after week, amidst its dusty volumes, without interruption from a single visitor."

The public attention was not directed to the importance of the Institution till the year 1810, when the Society received an accession of spirit and ability by the admission of a large number of new proprietors. In March, 1810, James Ogilvie, Esq., visited the town, and delivered several lectures on the advantages of public libraries; which contributed essentially to awaken the public to the claims of the Redwood Library on their generosity and support. He made the Society a liberal donation of select and valuable books. From 1810 to the present time, a very respectable interest has been maintained in

the Institution; and the funds placed at the disposal of the Society have been judiciously managed in accomplishing the plans of its founders.

The valuable services of the late Robert Rogers, Esq., as Librarian and Secretary from 1810 to 1831, entitle him to the grateful remembrance of all who are interested in the prosperity of the Institution.

The exertions of the late Robert Johnston, Esq., in behalf of the Institution, demand honorable mention. By his solicitation, some of the most rare and valuable works in the Library were obtained from different individuals in Newport and its neighborhood. In 1834, he made great efforts to enrich the Library with the Public Records of England. He succeeded in obtaining eighty-four volumes — seventy-two large folios and twelve octavos — from the Lords Commissioners and Lord Lyndhurst, in consequence of his application to them, through the medium of his friend and agent, Thomas Bland, Esq., of London. These volumes — containing the most valuable materials of English history — were understood to be obtained as a present from the King of Great Britain, on the application of Lord Lyndhurst. As such, they will be perpetually preserved in the Redwood Library.

In 1813, Solomon Southwick, Esq., of Albany, gave to the Library one hundred and twenty acres of land in the State of New York, for the purpose of advancing the Institution, and thereby perpetuating the memory of Henry Collins, Esq., one of its principal founders.

In 1834, Abraham Redwood, Esq., of Dorset Place, Marylebone, Eng., — being desirous of promoting an Institution founded by his honored grandfather, — gave to the Company the homestead estate, situated in Newport, which he inherited from his father, Jonas Redwood, Esq.

In 1837, Baron Hottinguer, a distinguished banker of Paris, who was connected by marriage with the Redwood Family, presented to the Company one thousand francs for the restoration of the building.

In 1840, the Hon. Christopher G. Champlin bequeathed to the Company one hundred dollars and some valuable books.

The proprietors are also indebted to the Hon. William C. Gibbs for his liberality in permitting a free access to a valuable collection of books at present deposited by him in the Library.

The Library Room is adorned by several paintings and busts. The beautiful bust of John Marshall was presented in 1839 by Augustus E. Silliman, Esq., of New York. The acknowledgments of the Company are due to Charles B. King, Esq., of Washington, for his nume-

rous and valuable donations ; among which are the portrait of Columbus, and that of Abraham Redwood, the founder of the Library.

The Preface of the Catalogue of 1844 closes with the previous sentence. In tracing the progress of the Library since that period, many important changes in the character and efficiency of the Institution will be noticed. A brief allusion also to a few topics, overlooked in the previous Preface, may not be improper to a full understanding of the history of the Institution. The books purchased in England by the five hundred pounds sterling given by Mr. Redwood, and placed on the shelves of the Library in 1750, were considered at that time the finest collection of works on theology, history, the arts and sciences, in the American Colonies. Its excellence being widely known, the Redwood Library became the frequent and favorite resort of American scholars of that day. It is not surprising that the proprietors at that early period deemed that few or no additions were required to perfect its ample stores.

In fact, from the year 1750 to 1810, not a single tax was laid on the proprietors to increase the Library ; not a single book was purchased from the appropriate funds of the Library. The revenues of the Library, arising from fines and an annual tax of twenty shillings on each share, were employed "for discharging officers' salaries, incidental charges, and unavoidable repairs."\* It would be unjust, however, not to commemorate the following donations by some of the early friends of the Institution. In 1750, at the very commencement of the Library, valuable donations of books were made by several gentlemen. Thomas Ward, Esq., Secretary of the Colony of Rhode Island, gave sixteen volumes of English and classical works ; among which were folio editions of Homer, Herodotus, Xenophon, Chaucer, and Spenser. John Brett, M.D., a graduate of the University of Leyden and a physician of Newport, gave several works in Latin ; among which were a folio copy of Pliny's "Natural History," and a copy of the Latin Vulgate, *Biblia Sacra* (in quarto), printed at Venice, A.D. 1487. Edward Scott, Esq., and Matthew Robinson, Esq., highly accomplished lawyers of Rhode Island, gave some works relating to history, mathematics, and theology. Capt. Joseph Harrison, a distinguished merchant, and, at a subsequent period, Collector of the Port of Boston, N. E., gave some important works on natural philosophy. A club, composed of gentlemen residing in Newport, gave twenty-six volumes and thirty-five pam-

---

\* Preface of Catalogue of 1764.

phlets; among which were probably the only books printed in America at that time in the Library; viz., "New-York Journal of a Conspiracy" (a quarto pamphlet), and twelve "Philadelphia Magazines." Valuable works were given also by Capt. William Dunbar; Capt. Joseph Bull; Mr. William Stevens; Mr. John Chaloner; Mr. Simon Rhodes; Mr. Naphthali Hart Myers; Mr. Abraham Hart; Mr. Henry Collins; Thomas Moffatt, M.D.; Mr. Metcalf Bowler; Mr. Alexander Mackenzie; Dr. William Douglas, a graduate of Edinburgh and a physician of Boston; Mr. Hugh M'Ky; Mr. James Murray, of South Carolina; Mr. Ebenezer Flagg; and Capt. William Richards.

In April, 1752, Dr. William M'Dowell gave eighteen volumes of philological, classical, and medical works. Donations of books were also made, during 1752, by Capt. Benjamin Wickham, Mr. Michael Bland of London, and Capt. Joseph Jacob.

In April, 1753, the Rev. Dr. M'Sparran, the energetic missionary of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, residing in Narragansett, gave five theological pamphlets on the "Controversy with Dr. Middleton respecting the Miraculous Powers," and Leland's "View of the Deistical Writers." In August, 1753, Mr. Thomas Willett, of South Kingston, R.I., gave "Purchas his Pilgrimes," 1 vol. folio; "Knolles's History of the Turks," 1 vol. folio; and the "History of America," by Ferdinando Gorges, 1 vol. quarto. Donations were also made by Mr. Andrew Heatly, and by the Rev. Thomas Barnard, M.A. In 1755, several works were given by the Rev. Dr. M'Sparran and Mr. Thomas Sparks; in 1756, by Charles Bardin, Esq.; in 1759, by the Rev. Mr. Thomas Pollen of Newport; in 1763, by Edmund Trowbridge, Esq., of Cambridge, Mass.; and, in 1764, by John Robinson, Esq., of Newport, Collector of the Colony of Rhode Island.

The following authors presented copies of their works: In 1750, Dr. William Douglas gave a copy of his "Summary, Political and Historical, of the British Settlements in North America." In 1756 and in 1762, the Rt. Rev. Dr. Sherlock, Bishop of London, presented four copies of his "Discourses," in 12mo. In 1764, the Rev. Dr. Nathaniel Lardner, of London, presented his "Credibility of Gospel History," in seventeen volumes 8vo. In the same year, Nathaniel Neal, Esq., of London, presented copies of his father's works (the Rev. Daniel Neal, M.A., of London): viz., Neal's "History of the Puritans," 2 vols. 4to; and Neal's "History of New England," 2 vols. 8vo. In 1770, Francis Maseres, M.A., Fellow of Clare Hall, Cambridge, presented copies of his "Mathematical Treatises," in 2 vols. 8vo.

In 1772, Catharine Macaulay presented her "History of England, in 5 vols. 4to; and a quarto volume of miscellaneous tracts.

The editor of the "Newport Mercury," Nov. 9, 1772, thus notices Mrs. Macaulay's gift to the Library: "Mrs. Catharine Macaulay, one of the lights of the present age, and the celebrated female historian, by the hands of Henry Marchant, Esq., late agent for this Colony, has generously presented the Redwood Library, in this town, with a copy of her works, being six volumes in quarto of a new and most beautiful edition, which she has sent, as she is pleased to say, as a 'testimony of *her* regard to the people of the Free Colony of Rhode Island.'"

In a fly-leaf of Montanus's "Biblia Sacra Polyglotta," in the Library, is recorded, in the handwriting of the Rev. Dr. Ezra Stiles, the following memorandum; which is copied to illustrate the frugal manner observed at that time in making additions to the Library:—

"Jan. 5, 1774. — Montanus's 'Polyglot,' &c., in 8 vols. folio, price  $21\frac{1}{2}$  dollars, or £4. 16s. sterling, was given to the Redwood Library, in Newport, R.I., by the following persons: viz., the Hon. Abraham Redwood, Esq., the founder, two guineas, or  $9\frac{1}{2}$  dollars; Mr. Francis Malbone,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  dollar; Mr. James Rod Rivera,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  dollar; Mr. Aaron Lopez, 1 dollar; Gov. Josias Lyndon, 1 dollar; Henry Marchant, Attorney-General, 1 dollar; Dr. William Hunter, 1 dollar; Mr. John Bours, 1 dollar; Mr. Isaac Hart, 1 dollar; Mr. Samuel Rodman, 1 dollar; Mr. John Cranston,  $\frac{1}{2}$  dollar; Ezra Stiles, 1 dollar: viz.,  $21\frac{1}{2}$  dollars. The books received and deposited in the Redwood Library by Ezra Stiles, Librarian."

During the period of the Revolutionary War, the town of Newport greatly declined in all the circumstances that unite to form the strength and prosperity of communities. Dependent for its resources on its maritime commerce, it was one of the first towns in America to suffer from the rigorous enforcement of the Navigation Law which precluded the Revolution. During the Revolution, alternately garrisoned by British and American forces, it experienced most of the evils incident to a place in a state of siege. Some of its leading merchants were at variance with the mass of the people in their views of the great contest going on. It suffered from divided feelings and opinions,—the loyalty of opulent merchants to the mother-country, and the strong attachment of its people to the great cause of American liberty. Its commerce retreated from the dangers of military incursions, and its population diminished under the oppression of martial law. The Redwood-Library Institution felt the depressing influence of the common misfortunes.

At the close of the war, it was discovered that a very considerable number of the books had been purloined ; that the building and fences had fallen into decay ; that in consequence of death, or removal from the State, a small number only of members were left to manage the affairs of the Company, and to carry out the generous and noble intentions of its founder and of its other generous benefactors. With a view to restore the Institution, an application was made to the General Assembly to pass an Act for the better regulating and defining the powers of the Company of the Redwood Library in the Town of Newport. An Act was passed at the October Session, 1790. It was a renewal of the old charter. It designated the *present* officers of the Institution, determined the quorum at the meetings of the Directors and of the Company, and restricted the right of membership to those individuals only who should, before January, 1791, give in their names to the Treasurer of the Company, and appear, either in person or by proxy, at the next meeting of the Company, to be held in the Library Building, in Newport, on the second Monday in February, 1791.

The privilege of substantiating claims to membership was, by a subsequent Act of the Legislature, in May, 1791, extended to the 12th of July, 1791 ; and the first meeting after the renewal of the charter was appointed to be held on the 2d of August, 1791. At the meeting on the 2d August, 1791, it appeared that the Redwood-Library Company had been reduced to thirty-three proprietors. At the annual meeting in September, 1791, — the first after the renewal of the charter, — the Hon. Henry Marchant was chosen Moderator, and the following officers were elected : viz., William Vernon, John Bours, Jonathan Easton, jun., Henry Marchant, and Joseph Jacob Robinson, *Directors* ; Thomas Wickham, *Treasurer* ; Edward Thurston, *Secretary* ; Rev. William Smith, *Librarian*. From this period to the year 1810, the Library Institution made no decided advance in the extent of its resources or the number of its proprietors. Vigorous efforts, however, during this period, were made to resuscitate the Company by the sale of shares, and by application for legislative aid. In September, 1801, Rev. William Patten, John Bours, William Hunter, and Robert Stevens, were appointed a Committee to form a plan for the revival of the Institution. In September, 1806, the same duty was committed to William H. Vernon, Benjamin Hazard, William Crooke, William Hunter, and Stephen Cahoone. This Committee reported resolutions, which were adopted, for an application to the Legislature for the privilege of raising three thousand dollars by lottery, and for the admission

of thirty new members on paying twenty-five dollars each for a share in the Library. On petition in 1806, the General Assembly granted a lottery to the Company, with the privilege of raising three thousand dollars. The Company, at their meeting, Nov. 6, 1806, appointed John Bours, Robert Stevens, William H. Vernon, William Hunter, and Benjamin Hazard, directors of the lottery. This legislative grant, however, was never made available for the interests of the Library. The hope of carrying the grant into effect seems to have lingered until January, 1826; when the Hon. William Hunter, Benjamin Hazard and C. E. Robbins, Esqs., were appointed to report on the best means of accomplishing the object.

At the annual meeting, Sept. 24, 1806, a Committee, consisting of Benjamin Hazard, William H. Vernon, Stephen Cahoon, and Benjamin Hadwen, were appointed to collect all the books and other property of the Library; to cause to be inserted in the "Newport Mercury" an advertisement calculated to induce persons having such property to restore it; and, if necessary, to call personally upon individuals neglecting to return the books in their possession. This Committee published an address to the public in the "Newport Mercury" of Sept. 27, 1806. The following extract from their communication shows the dispersed condition of the Library at that time: "The long neglect of this Institution by the proprietors may possibly have furnished those who have books in their hands belonging to it with an excuse for neglecting to return them; and some may have thought it not incumbent on them to trouble themselves about books in their possession, because they were not originally taken out by themselves. These may be the best of poor excuses, and the Company must accept them as such for the long detention of their books hitherto; but they hope that those who have so long obligingly had the keeping of their books will now trust them to the care of the real owners, and will not allow themselves to be satisfied with such reasons for any further detention. A large portion of the Library books have, in one way or another, got upon the shelves of individuals in different quarters of the town, and many valuable sets have thus been broken and rendered useless. Before these depredations were committed upon it, it was an Institution both valuable and ornamental to the town, and society at large reaped the benefit of it. Let it again prosper; and, that it may begin to prosper, let the books belonging to it be honorably restored."

On the 13th of March, 1810, the Company resolved to admit fifty new members on the payment of fifteen dollars each, or so many new

members as would carry the whole number of proprietors to one hundred. This plan proved to be an auspicious and successful measure for the revival of the Institution.

On the 19th of March, 1810, sixty-four new members were admitted into the Company, with the obligation of paying each fifteen dollars within a month into the treasury. Committees were immediately appointed to revise the laws and regulations of the Library, to take a catalogue of the books, to ascertain and to collect the missing volumes, to enclose the lot with a fence, and to repair and paint the Library Building. At the annual meeting, Sept. 26, 1810, an elaborate system of rules and regulations of the Library, consisting of twenty-three sections, was adopted. The following officers were elected: Dr. Jonathan Easton, *President*; Messrs. William Hunter, John P. Mann, Walter Channing, Robert Stevens, John Mein, *Directors*; Messrs. Christopher Fowler, Benjamin Hazard, David King, John L. Boss, jun., Edmund T. Waring, William Turner, *Committee for the purchase of Books*; Benjamin Hadwen, *Treasurer*; Robert Rogers, *Secretary*. Levi Tower was elected, by the Directors, *Librarian*. The Library was at first opened only on Saturdays, from two to five o'clock, P.M.; but from June 1, 1811, to July, 1812, it was opened on Wednesdays from four to six o'clock, P.M., and on Saturdays from three to six o'clock, P.M. In July, 1812, a regulation was adopted, which continued to be observed until 1859. The Library was opened for the delivery of books to the proprietors on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday in each week, from three to six o'clock, P.M., from the 1st of May to the 1st of November; and on Tuesday and Saturday in each week, from three to four o'clock, P.M., from the 1st of November to the 1st of May.

In October, 1810, the proprietors appointed a Committee, consisting of William Hunter, Benjamin Hazard, Edmund T. Waring, David King, William Turner, William Marchant, and John L. Boss, jun., to prepare an address, and to present the same to the public, for the purpose of obtaining donations of books to the Library. This Committee published in the "Newport Mercury" of September, 1811, an eloquent appeal—drawn up by their Chairman, the Hon. William Hunter—to literary and benevolent minds in behalf of an Institution whose founders had been animated by a truly noble and enlightened public spirit.

This direct appeal to the public contributed to revive the interest already directed towards the Library, and to encourage the spirit of liberality now re-awakened by the example of generous and high-minded individuals.



From 1810 to 1860, large additions of books have been made to the Library by donations of liberal individuals, and by purchase from the appropriate funds of the Library. The donations of books by individuals, during that period, are recorded in the *Donation Book* of the Redwood Library. In 1844, two hundred and fifty dollars were given to the Library, for the purchase of books, by various individuals. The President gave twenty dollars; Judge Alonzo Paige of Albany, twenty-five dollars; and C. B. King, Esq., of Washington, one hundred dollars. In 1845, the President of the Library gave several valuable books, among which were the "Harleian Miscellany." In 1847, the Hon. Robert B. Cranston gave to the Library a liberal donation of books, consisting of "Jefferson's Manual," three volumes of the "American Archives," twenty-one volumes of "American State Papers," and twenty-nine volumes of "Gales and Seaton's Congressional Debates." To this gentleman, on various other occasions, as well as to the Hon. Albert C. Green, Hon. Philip Allen, Hon. Henry Y. Cranston, Hon. Elisha R. Potter, Hon. George G. King, Hon. Thomas Davis, Hon. N. B. Durfee, and Hon. Henry B. Anthony, the Library Company are indebted for gifts of valuable public documents.

In 1848, many valuable books, from the library of the late Dr. Thornton of Washington, D.C., were given by Mrs. Thornton; among which were several volumes of the "Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society of London."

In 1857, several valuable works were presented by Mrs. Mary Griffin, from the library of the late Francis Griffin, Esq., of New York: viz., Du Halde's "China," 2 vols. folio; Kaempfer's "Japan," 2 vols. folio; Goldoni's Works, 30 vols. 12mo.; and the "State Trials of England," in 10 vols. folio. In 1858, William N. Mercer, M.D., of New Orleans, presented a valuable selection of books, chiefly of French authors. In 1859, Mr. Henry Allen Wright gave three beautifully illustrated volumes; viz., Audubon's "Quadrupeds of North America." Hon. David Sears of Boston gave, in addition to previous donations, the "Plymouth-Colony Records," the "Records of Massachusetts," and the "Collections of the Massachusetts Historical Society;" in all, thirty-one volumes. The Hon. William C. Gibbs gave a valuable collection of books on military art and science, for many years previously deposited by him in the Library. In 1860, Sidney Brooks, Esq., gave eighty-one volumes of rare and valuable books, many of them magnificently illustrated, and all in fine binding. These were selected by Mr. Brooks in Europe, and sent by him from France.

In 1860, also, Mr. John Purssord of Regent Street, London, related to the Redwood Family, gave the old family seal of the Redwood arms, and a portrait of Mr. Abraham Redwood, the grandson of the founder of the Library; a fine specimen of the artistic talent of Sir Thomas Lawrence. The Library Company are indebted for these last donations to the kind agency of George Peabody, Esq., of London, and to the exertions of Sidney Brooks, Esq., who, being in London, accepted the gifts for the Library from Mr. Purssord on certain conditions.

In addition to the donations of books by individuals, acknowledged in the Catalogue, the Redwood-Library Company are indebted to various societies and legislatures for gifts of books; among whom may be mentioned the Rhode-Island Historical Society, the Massachusetts Historical Society, the Philadelphia Library Company, the City Library of Boston, the American Antiquarian Society, Harvard University, Brown University, the Smithsonian Institute; the cities of Newport, Providence, and New York; the States of Massachusetts, New York, Tennessee, and Rhode Island; the Record Commissioners of Great Britain, and the Government of the United States. From 1810 to 1860, the following authors have presented copies of some or of the whole of their works: Rev. Dr. A. Holmes, of Cambridge; Isaiah Thomas, of Worcester; Nathan Carey, of Philadelphia; Egbert Benson, of New York; Rev. John Evans, of London; Dr. Mease, of Philadelphia; Francis Kinlock, of South Carolina; William H. Vernon, of Newport, R.I.; David Hosack, M.D., of New York; Rev. Dr. William E. Channing; Dr. Benjamin Waterhouse; Edward Pelham Brenton, Esq.; Rev. James D. Knowles, of Providence; Hon. Elisha R. Potter, of Kingston, R.I.; George H. Calvert, of Newport; Dr. Walter Channing, of Boston; Dr. Usher Parsons, of Providence; Rev. Dr. F. Wayland; Josiah Quincy, LL.D.; James K. Angell, of Providence; C. T. Brooks, of Newport; George Folsom, of New York; Hon. David Sears; H. T. Tuckerman, of New York; John C. Warren, M.D., of Boston; N. I. Bowditch, of Boston; Hon. Francis Brinley, of Boston; C. C. Moore, LL.D., of New York; Com. M. C. Perry, of New York; Hon. Samuel G. Arnold, of Middletown, R.I.; H. W. Longfellow, of Cambridge; Hon. William B. Lawrence, of Newport; and George Hayward, M.D., of Boston.

Such is a brief record of the accumulation of the Library, resulting from the benefactions of individuals, during a period of one hundred years, and from the revenues of the Library Company arising from an annual tax for a period of fifty years.

In January, 1844, the Library Company received from Judah Touro, Esq., of New Orleans (a native of Newport), the gift of two thousand dollars; which sum, according to the wish of the donor, was appropriated to the repair of the portico of the building, and to the laying of a sidewalk in East Touro Street, from the Library Building to the corner of Kay Street. Mr. Touro, at his death in 1854, left the liberal bequest of three thousand dollars to promote the interests of the Institution; which sum was transmitted by R. D. Shephard, Esq., executor, to the President of the Institution. The sum was properly invested at the time, and the interest of the money annually devoted to the purchase of books.

For several years previous to the year 1855, there had existed among the proprietors a growing conviction that the Redwood Library did not meet the wants of the public, either in the degree of its accessibility or in the rapidity of its increase. Various measures were successively proposed for enlarging the usefulness of the Institution. In July, 1834, the Hon. Richard K. Randolph introduced resolutions to authorize the Directors to procure lectures to be delivered in the Library Room; to cause the Library to be opened every day in the week, except Sunday; and to give permission to all strangers to use the books during the Library-hours. Several attempts were made to increase the number of shares of the Library, and thus to augment the annual revenue, in the years 1843 and 1844, and especially in 1847; when the Company were eloquently addressed by the Hon. William Hunter in favor of this liberal course. These several efforts to increase the efficiency of the Institution failed to receive a favorable consideration.

The traditionary belief, that one hundred had been designated as the appropriate number of members by the founder of the Institution, seemed to exert a spell upon the minds of the proprietors; and, for a long period, defeated the exertions of many public-spirited individuals to advance the Institution. It was only in 1854 that the Company consented to authorize the President to sell fifty new shares at twenty-five dollars per share. It must be acknowledged that some interest had been awakened in favor of the Institution by the able and eloquent discourse of the Hon. William Hunter, delivered at the Centennial Anniversary of the incorporation of the Redwood-Library Company, Aug. 24, 1847; as well as by the appropriate and beautiful poem of the Rev. Charles T. Brooks, delivered on the same occasion. There was, however, no considerable increase in the number of the proprietors, and no decided advance in the revenue of the Library.

At the annual meeting in September, 1855, upon the recommendation of the Directors, the following Committee were appointed to report on the best means of increasing the efficiency and enlarging the usefulness of the Library; viz., W. C. Cozzens, David King, R. J. Taylor, Charles H. Russell, A. H. Dumont, Peleg Clarke, and Augustus Bush. At a meeting, Oct. 10, 1855, the Committee submitted their report, which recommended the sale of four hundred new shares at twenty-five dollars per share, with the view of enlarging the Library Building, increasing the number of books, attaching a reading-room to the Library, and opening the Library daily to the public. The report of the Committee was adopted, and the following resolutions were passed with great unanimity:—

“1. That it is expedient to raise the sum of ten thousand dollars to promote the usefulness of the Institution.

“2. That Thomas R. Hunter, R. B. Cranston, and William B. Lawrence, be a Committee to procure, from the General Assembly, amendments to the Charter, empowering the Company to elect, at their annual meetings, eleven Directors instead of five; and entitling a proprietor to vote on more than one share held by him, but restricting him to five votes, whatever the number of shares held by him.

“3. That David King, W. B. Lawrence, William C. Cozzens, A. H. Dumont, Charles H. Russell, Peleg Clarke, William S. Wetmore, and George H. Calvert, be a Committee to draw up a Circular exhibiting the condition and resources of the Institution, presenting the proposed plan for improving the Redwood Library and Athenæum, and the terms of admission to its prospective privileges.”

This Committee was empowered to solicit subscriptions to the stock of the Company, upon the conditions of the proposed plan, to the amount of four hundred shares, at twenty-five dollars per share.

The amendments to the Charter were made by the General Assembly of Rhode Island, at the January Session, 1856.

A printed Circular was distributed, by the Committee appointed for that purpose, among the citizens and visitors of the town, in July, 1856. The subscription was immediately opened upon the following conditions, as presented in the Circular:—

“1. Subscribers shall pay for the number of shares affixed to their names at the rate of twenty-five dollars per share; provided that no part of the subscription be required, unless the whole number of four hundred shares be subscribed for before the annual meeting of the Company in September, 1857.

"2. No tax shall be levied on more than one share held by each member, unless a larger number be used by such member.

"3. Each share shall entitle a member to the uses and privileges of the Library and Reading Room, and to the right of voting at the meetings of the Corporation, according to the provisions of the Charter and By-laws.

"4. No proprietor, at the meetings of the Corporation, shall have more than five votes in his own right, however great the number of shares held by him."

Though, in obtaining subscriptions, the Committee were aided by the well-known fact, that the existing property of the Institution possessed the value of twenty-three thousand dollars, and by the very liberal offer of Charles H. Russell, Esq., to take one thousand dollars of the new stock, they failed to make up the required sum of ten thousand dollars by September, 1857. In August, 1858, the depressing effects of the financial crisis of 1857 having been succeeded by a comparative state of prosperity, the subscriptions for the Library-stock were resumed; and by the efforts of a Subcommittee, consisting of Messrs. W. C. Cozzens, William B. Lawrence, and John T. Bush, the whole stock was taken by Sept. 20, 1858.

The following is a list of the subscriptions, most of which were procured by the exertions of William C. Cozzens, Esq.:—

Charles H. Russell,	40 shares . . \$1,000	David King,	4 shares . . \$100
Edward King,	20 " . . 500	George G. King,	4 " . . 100
William S. Wetmore,	20 " . . 500	Rufus B. Kinsley,	4 " . . 100
Sidney Brooks,	10 " . . 250	Ang. N. Littlefield,	4 " . . 100
James Lenox,	10 " . . 250	R. S. Maitland,	4 " . . 100
Delancey Kane,	8 " . . 200	Earl P. Mason,	4 " . . 100
William H. King,	8 " . . 200	Robert M. Mason,	4 " . . 100
William B. Lawrence,	8 " . . 200	Wm. Newton Mercer,	4 " . . 100
David Sears,	8 " . . 200	Henry A. Middleton,	4 " . . 100
Henry P. Beck,	4 " . . 100	William Newton,	4 " . . 100
William G. Breeze,	4 " . . 100	George F. Parkman,	4 " . . 100
Edward L. Brinley,	4 " . . 100	Mary Porter,	4 " . . 100
John A. Brown,	4 " . . 100	Christopher Rhodes,	4 " . . 100
Henry Bull,	4 " . . 100	James T. Rhodes,	4 " . . 100
John T. Bush,	4 " . . 100	Andrew Robeson, jun.,	4 " . . 100
Samuel W. Butler,	4 " . . 100	William H. Russell,	4 " . . 100
Henry Chauncey, jun.,	4 " . . 100	Wm. P. Sheffield,	4 " . . 100
Peleg Clarke,	4 " . . 100	Alfred Smith,	4 " . . 100
William A. Clarke,	4 " . . 100	Henry Tiffany,	4 " . . 100
William C. Cozzens,	4 " . . 100	Tillinghast Tompkins,	4 " . . 100
Samuel Engs,	4 " . . 100	Joseph B. Tompkins,	4 " . . 100
R. M. Gibbes,	4 " . . 100	Christopher Townsend,	4 " . . 100
D. I. & N. H. Gould,	4 " . . 100	Alex. Van Rensselaer,	4 " . . 100
Joseph M. Hart,	4 " . . 100	Samuel Wetmore,	4 " . . 100
Isaac P. Hazard,	4 " . . 100	Joseph I. Bailey,	2 " . . 50
Hazard and Caswell,	4 " . . 100	Richard Cornell,	2 " . . 50
Hamilton Hoppin,	4 " . . 100	A. H. Dumont,	2 " . . 50
Thomas R. Hunter,	4 " . . 100	Wm. G. Hammond,	2 " . . 50
Robert H. Ives,	4 " . . 100	Charles Hunter,	2 " . . 50
G. Wimberly Jones,	4 " . . 100	Charles Mixer,	2 " . . 50
Charles B. King,	4 " . . 100	Edward Ogden,	2 " . . 50

John Paine,	2 shares . .	\$50	P. J. Joachinson,	1 share . .	\$25
Robert Ray,	2 " . .	50	C. E. Lawton,	1 " . .	25
T. M. Seabury,	2 " . .	50	Gideon Lawton,	1 " . .	25
R. M. Staigg,	2 " . .	50	Wm. C. Leverett,	1 " . .	25
Edmund Tweedy,	2 " . .	50	Jos. M. Lyon,	1 " . .	25
H. C. Van Rensselaer,	2 " . .	50	B. A. Mason,	1 " . .	25
H. Allen Wright,	2 " . .	50	Sam. T. Melville,	1 " . .	25
W. S. N. Allen,	1 share . .	25	Wm. Messer,	1 " . .	25
E. J. Anderson,	1 " . .	25	Clement C. Moore,	1 " . .	25
James Atkinson,	1 " . .	25	Josiah S. Munro,	1 " . .	25
L. P. W. Balch,	1 " . .	25	C. E. Ogden,	1 " . .	25
R. S. Barker,	1 " . .	25	Usher Parsons,	1 " . .	25
R. P. Berry,	1 " . .	25	John Pearson,	1 " . .	25
Wm. H. Bliss,	1 " . .	25	A. T. Peckham,	1 " . .	25
Thomas Brownell,	1 " . .	25	Felix Peckham,	1 " . .	25
John Bull,	1 " . .	25	Job A. Peckham,	1 " . .	25
George Burroughs,	1 " . .	25	Saml. S. Peckham,	1 " . .	25
B. W. Coit,	1 " . .	25	Wm. G. Peckham,	1 " . .	25
J. C. Congdon,	1 " . .	25	D. C. Pell,	1 " . .	25
W. P. Congdon,	1 " . .	25	George Popple, jun.,	1 " . .	25
J. H. Cozzens,	1 " . .	25	Eliza Sayer,	1 " . .	25
Wm. H. Cranston,	1 " . .	25	Ed. A. Sherman,	1 " . .	25
J. D. Dennis,	1 " . .	25	M. C. Slocum,	1 " . .	25
John Eldred,	1 " . .	25	W. H. Smith,	1 " . .	25
Wm. Fludder,	1 " . .	25	Micah W. Spencer,	1 " . .	25
Aug. Goffe,	1 " . .	25	R. H. Stanton,	1 " . .	25
George W. Greene,	1 " . .	25	Wm. Stevens,	1 " . .	25
B. A. Hazard,	1 " . .	25	D. T. Swinburne,	1 " . .	25
G. A. Hazard,	1 " . .	25	W. J. Swinburne,	1 " . .	25
J. A. Hazard, of T. G.,	1 " . .	25	R. J. Taylor,	1 " . .	25
J. L. Hazard,	1 " . .	25	W. H. Thurston,	1 " . .	25
D. W. Holloway,	1 " . .	25	B. J. Tilley,	1 " . .	25
S. T. Hopkins,	1 " . .	25	Chas. W. Underwood,	1 " . .	25
Mrs. Mary Irish,	1 " . .	25	John W. Vose,	1 " . .	25
Henry Jackson,	1 " . .	25	Job B. Wilbor,	1 " . .	25

At the Annual Meeting of the Redwood Library and Athenæum Company, held at the Library at three, P.M., Wednesday, Sept. 29, 1858, the following officers were elected: viz., David King, *President*; Peleg Clarke, William S. Wetmore, William C. Cozzens, Charles H. Russell, Sidney Brooks, David Sears, A. N. Littlefield, A. H. Dumont, William B. Lawrence, George C. Mason, John T. Bush, *Directors*; George Cozzens, *Treasurer*; R. I. Taylor, *Secretary*. The Board of Directors having been authorized by the Company to enlarge the Library Building, to increase the Library, and to adapt the Institution to the wants of the public, appointed, Sept. 30, 1858, the following Committees to effect these various objects: viz., first, a Committee on

NOTE.—Additional subscriptions for shares in July and August, 1860:—

F. L. Barrera,	8 shares . . . .	\$200	John Carey, jun.,	1 share . . . .	\$25
John Foster,	4 " . . . .	100	T. Jefferson Coolidge,	1 " . . . .	25
Thos. F. Hoppin,	4 " . . . .	100	John R. Ford,	1 " . . . .	25
J. B. Plumb,	4 " . . . .	100	Theodore Phinney,	1 " . . . .	25
Alexander Duncan,	2 " . . . .	50	J. J. Pringle,	1 " . . . .	25
L. M. Hoffman,	2 " . . . .	50	J. S. Watson,	1 " . . . .	25
George Tiffany,	2 " . . . .	50	Benj. R. Winthrop,	1 " . . . .	25
Thos. Coggeshall,	1 share . . . .	25			

By-laws and Regulations, consisting of Messrs. Dumont, Bush, and Mason ; second, a Committee on Finance, consisting of Messrs. Clarke, Wetmore, and Littlefield ; third, a Committee on Additions to the Library, the Increase of Books, and Objects of Art, consisting of Messrs. Lawrence, King, and Taylor ; fourth, a Committee on Alterations of the Library Building, consisting of Messrs. Russell, Brooks, and Cozzens ; fifth, a Committee on Re-organization, consisting of Messrs. King, Wetmore, Dumont, Mason, and Lawrence :

The Building Committee (viz., Charles H. Russell, Sidney Brooks, William C. Cozzens, Augustus N. Littlefield, and Peleg Clarke) obtained from Mr. George Snell, architect, of Boston, a plan for enlarging the Library Building ; the leading principle of which was, while accomplishing that object, to preserve, as far as possible, the original design of Mr. Peter Harrison, the first architect.

The Committee contracted with Mr. Abraham T. Peckham, as master-builder, to carry out the additions and alterations according to the plan of Mr. Snell, which had been previously approved of by the Directors. The whole work was finished by July 1, 1859. The west or front elevation was not altered. The wings on the north and south sides were extended from one-third of the length to the entire length of the building. A new building was attached to the east end of the old Library, against which the wings were made to terminate. This building, projecting north and south two feet beyond the wings, was made of the exact width of the old Library Room ; thus allowing the beautiful east façade of the old Library to be removed so as to form the south façade of the new building. The north façade of the new building was constructed in exact imitation of it. The new east façade is perfectly plain, with the exception that the Doric entablature is carried around it. The base, and coigne stones, are similar to those of the rest of the building. The interior of the old Library Room was altered at the east end by the removal of the three windows, and the construction of a wide doorway with a semicircular fanlight leading to the new building. Arched entrances to the wings were made through the central compartment of the book-coves on the north and south sides. The ceiling of the old Library Room was improved by a centre ornament and appropriate mouldings. The north and south wings form aisles for books and reading-rooms, and have as formerly, at their west or front ends, rooms respectively for the Librarian and Directors. The new building is constructed with a basement, affording space for a furnace, and convenient rooms for unpacking books. In planning these alterations, we cannot withhold the great

praise so justly due to Mr. Snell, the architect. While exhibiting the spirit of the true artist, in preserving, as far as possible, the architectural work of a predecessor, he has added to the original building a room of which that predecessor would have been proud. This room is fifty feet long, twenty-eight feet wide, and nineteen feet high. It forms one large hall, and is lighted by six windows in the north and south façades, and by an octagonal dome, or lantern light. The Directors have caused, this year (1860), the ceilings and the walls of the Library Rooms to be beautifully frescoed.

As a part of their duty, the Building Committee furnished conveniences for heating and lighting the building by means of a furnace and the introduction of gas; they refurnished the Library Rooms with appropriate and substantial furniture of black walnut; they obtained an iron safe for the preservation of valuable papers and records; they caused a beautiful fence to be erected, and the grounds to be tastefully laid out, and planted with trees.

The Committee on Books (consisting of William Beach Lawrence, David King, David Sears, Robert J. Taylor, A. H. Dumont, John T. Bush, and George C. Mason) judiciously expended in the purchase of valuable works between three and four thousand dollars. In this expenditure, while availing themselves of the valuable advice of Joseph G. Cogswell, LL.D., Librarian of the Astor Library, they devoted much time and labor in endeavoring to make their purchases of books supply, in due proportion, the deficiencies in the different departments of the Library. The Committee on Re-organization, consisting of David King, W. S. Wetmore, A. H. Dumont, G. C. Mason, and Sidney Brooks, reported a plan for opening the Library daily; of establishing a reading-room, furnished with the best journals and periodicals of the day; for instituting a gallery of art, of painting and sculpture; and for securing courses of lectures, to be delivered in the Library Room. This plan of re-organization was unanimously adopted by the Board, and its several objects were subsequently carried into effect. In forming the gallery of art, the Directors were aided by the munificent donation of Charles B. King, Esq., of Washington (a native of Newport), of eighty-six valuable paintings,—many by his own hand, and some by other distinguished artists. In the gallery of paintings, besides those given by Mr. C. B. King, are paintings given by David Melville, Miss J. Stuart, Mrs. Catherine Allen, Usher Parsons, M.D., Augustus N. Littlefield, C. H. Olmstead of New Haven, Russell Coggeshall, George C. Mason, William N. Mercer, M.D., of New Orleans, and John Purssord,



Esq., of London. These gifts are specified in the printed catalogue of the paintings.

At a meeting of the Directors, May 23, 1859, Benjamin H. Rhoades was elected principal Librarian; and Dumont Clarke, Assistant Librarian. The sum of eight hundred dollars was appropriated to defray the salaries of the Librarians.

The Library Building, enlarged according to the tasteful plans of Mr. Snell, its shelves supplied with large accessions of new and important works, its walls adorned by valuable paintings, its rooms rendered attractive by tasteful and appropriate furniture, was opened to the public, July 5, 1859. For many successive days, the building was thronged by crowds of citizens, who admired the mode of its renovation, its increased convenience, and its better adaptation to the purposes of a library and athenæum. Not the structure alone, it is to be presumed, attracted the attention of the people; but also the new treasures of knowledge and art which had been gathered by the Directors, within the walls of the building, for their service. From this last consideration must have proceeded the undissembled public joy at the thorough renovation of an Institution which had been the pride of their fathers, and which now, at a more advanced period of literature, had been made worthy of the liberal and enlightened community of which they were members.

During the winter of 1859 and 1860, the Directors instituted a course of free lectures; which were delivered once a week in the Library Rooms, on Thursday evening, by the following gentlemen,—Rev. C. T. Brooks, G. W. Pettes (a poem), Hon. S. G. Arnold, George C. Mason, Rev. W. H. Richards, Walter S. Hunter, Benjamin A. Mumford, Rev. Thomas P. Rodman (a poem), Rev. H. S. White, Hon. George G. King, and H. M. Monsanto.

At this time, an inaugural discourse on the advantages of public libraries was delivered by the Hon. George G. King, President of the Institution.

Three Catalogues of the Library have been published. The first Catalogue was taken by Elnathan Hammond, and, with a preface containing the Laws of the Library, was printed at Newport, by Samuel Hall, in 1764. The Library then consisted of fifteen hundred and sixteen volumes; viz., two hundred and forty-nine folios, one hundred and fifty quartos, eight hundred and seventy-six octavos, and two hundred and forty-one duodecimos. It possessed but forty-one pamphlets. It is much to be regretted, that the collection and preservation of pamphlets

should, during the century of its existence, have been so generally neglected by the Directors of the Institution. They constitute an important record of the transient, and even of the more permanent feelings, passions, and thoughts of the successive generations of men. The second Catalogue was prepared by Robert Rogers, *Librarian*, under the direction of a Committee of the Directors; and was printed, with the charter and laws, at Newport, by Rousmaniere and Barber, in 1816. It contained fourteen hundred and ninety-two volumes; viz., two hundred and thirty-one folios, one hundred and sixty-one quartos, nine hundred and fifty octavos, and one hundred and fifty duodecimos.

An Appendix to the second Catalogue was printed at Newport, by William and J. H. Barber, in September, 1829. It contained a thousand and sixty-seven volumes; viz., twenty-six folios, sixty-one quartos, six hundred and sixty-three octavos, and three hundred and seventeen duodecimos. It was prepared by Robert Rogers, *Secretary* and *Librarian*.

The third Catalogue of the Library, with an Historical Preface, was printed in Providence, by Knowles and Vose, in 1843. It was prepared with great labor and care by Christopher G. Perry, David King, Mr. Prioleau of South Carolina, and Nathan H. Gould. In this Catalogue the books were arranged under five classes, with various sections under each class; viz., Theology, History, Jurisprudence, Government and Politics, Belles-Lettres, Science and Arts. It contained four thousand and forty-seven volumes, the titles of which were given in full.

The present and fourth Catalogue consists of two parts. The first part presents the works in alphabetical order, under the names of their authors: the second part consists of an elaborate Index, in which the works of the Library are arranged under the classes of knowledge or subjects of which they treat. A part of this Catalogue, under the direction of the Directors, was prepared by Benjamin E. Thurston in 1858. Great accessions of books having been made to the Library in 1859, the completion of the Catalogue has been intrusted by the Directors to Benjamin H. Rhoades, the present faithful and able Librarian. By this Catalogue, it appears that the Redwood Library now contains nine thousand five hundred and four volumes.

In concluding the history of this Institution, we may express a hope for its continued prosperity. May this noble Institution, the offspring

d

of the culture, the elegance, and the liberality of Colonial times, the nurturer of knowledge and virtue in our midst for a century past, continue to attract the warm regards of generation after generation, receiving from each its grateful honors, and, in reciprocation, ever shedding abroad in the community those moral and intellectual influences which sustain and uphold the best interests of society!

---

C H A R T E R.

---

## COLONY OF RHODE ISLAND, &amp;c.

By the Honorable the GOVERNOR AND COMPANY of the English Colony of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, in New England in America, in General Assembly met at Newport, within and for the Colony aforesaid, on the third Tuesday in August, one thousand seven hundred and forty-seven:—

*To all to whom these presents shall come, GREETING.*

WHEREAS ABRAHAM REDWOOD, Esquire, hath generously engaged to bestow five hundred pounds sterling, to be laid out in a collection of useful books suitable for a Public Library proposed to be erected in Newport aforesaid, and, having nothing in view but the good of mankind, hath chosen to make his donation as lasting and diffusive as possible; to which end, James Honyman and others have been invited to join him, and, so far as in them lies, to form a Society, or Company, for the propagating virtue, knowledge, and useful learning; which they have accordingly done, &c: whereupon the said Society have made application to this Assembly for a charter of incorporation, who, highly approving of so noble and generous design, and being willing and desirous to give all the assistance and encouragement which it justly merits, have given, and by these presents the said Governor and Company do, for themselves and their successors, give and grant, that the said Abraham Redwood, James Honyman, and others, and all others that shall be by them admitted members of their Company, be, and they are hereby, constituted, erected, and made a body politic and corporate, to subsist, at all times for ever hereafter, in deed and name, by the name of THE COMPANY OF THE REDWOOD LIBRARY; and, by the same name, shall and may have perpetual succession, and be personable and taxable in law; to have, hold, receive, and enjoy lands, tenements, rents, liberties, franchises, and hereditaments, in fee-simple, or for term of life, lives, years, or otherwise; and also goods, chattels, and other things, of what nature, kind, or quality soever; and also to give, grant, let, sell, or assign the same lands, tenements, hereditaments, goods, and chattels; and to do and execute all other things about the same by the name aforesaid. And also that they and their successors, by the name of the Company of the Redwood Library, be, and shall be for ever hereafter, a company of persons able and liable to

sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto, defend and be defended against, in all or any of the courts of law or other places, and before any judges, justices, and other persons whatsoever, in all manner of actions, suits, complaints, pleas, causes, and matters of every kind and nature whatsoever. And that it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Company of the Redwood Library, and successors, for ever hereafter to have one common seal for their use in their affairs; and the same, at their will and pleasure, to change and alter. And, for the well-governing and ordering their affairs, the Governor and Company of the Colony aforesaid do hereby further grant, that it shall and may be lawful for the said Company and their successors to assemble and meet together on the last Wednesday in September in every year, and at such other times as they shall think convenient, at their Library or any other suitable place in the town of Newport; due and public notice being given at least five days before the times of such meetings, not only of the day, hour, and place of such meeting, but of the cause thereof, and of the matters to be transacted therein. And that the said Company, or one-fourth part of them at least, in person, or by proxy duly constituted in writing, shall have full power and authority, from time to time, to make, constitute, and establish such laws, statutes, orders, and constitutions as shall appear to them, or the major part of them, to be good and useful, honest and necessary, for the government, regulation, and direction of the Company, and every member thereof; and for the appointing and regulating the election or nomination of Directors, a Treasurer, Librarian, Secretary, and such and so many other officers as they may think fit, and for limiting and appointing their trust and authority; and for the admitting new members; and to do all things concerning the government, estates, goods, lands, and revenues, as also all the business and affairs, of the said Company. All which laws, statutes, orders, and constitutions, so to be made as aforesaid, shall be binding on every member, and to be from time to time inviolably observed according to the tenor and effect of them, *provided* that they be not repugnant to the law of England or of the Colony. And now, and that the intent hereof may prove more effectual, and inflame the worthy zeal of the Company, GIDEON WANTON, Esq., Governor and Commander-in-chief in and over the Colony aforesaid, doth, by the direction of the said Assembly, subscribe his name, and cause the seal of the said Colony to be affixed hereunto, the twenty-fourth day of August, in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of his most sacred Majesty GEORGE THE SECOND, by the grace of God, King of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c.

(Signed)

GIDEON WANTON.

(Sealed with the Seal of the Colony.)

By order of his Honor the Governor,  
(Signed)

THOMAS WARD, *Secretary.*

---

THE CHARTER AS AMENDED IN 1856.

---

An Act in amendment of the several Acts heretofore passed by the General Assembly in amendment of, and addition to, the Charter of the Redwood Library and Athenæum at Newport.

*It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:—*

SECT. 1. — Said Company shall be known and called by the name of THE COMPANY OF THE REDWOOD LIBRARY AND ATHENÆUM, and by that name shall have and enjoy all the powers, privileges, rights, and immunities, and be subject to all the duties, liabilities, and burdens, of said Company, in the same manner and to the same intent and effect as under the former name.

SECT. 2. — The rights in said Library shall not be liable to be attached, or levied upon, by any writ or execution for any debt, duty, or demand, of what kind or nature soever.

SECT. 3. — And be it further enacted, that the following Articles be added to, and form a part of, the charter of said Company; viz.:—

ART. 1. — The Library and property of the Company shall be held in shares, of which the members shall have certificates signed by the President and Secretary.

ART. 2. — There shall be a meeting of the Company, at the Library-room, on the last Wednesday in September, annually, at three o'clock, P.M. Fifteen members present in person or by proxy shall constitute a quorum for business.

ART. 3. — Special meetings on other days may be called by order of the President or of the Directors; or upon request, made in writing to the President, by ten members of the Company.

ART. 4. — At those special meetings, such business only shall be transacted as shall be specified in the order for calling the same, and in the notice given of such meetings to the members.

ART. 5. — Public or personal notice of every meeting of the Company (except adjourned meetings, notice of which shall be put up in the Library-room) shall be given by the Secretary, at least five days previous to such meeting.

ART. 6. — Each proprietor shall be entitled to one vote by himself, his attorney, or proxy, on every share by him held, at all meetings of the corporation; provided that no proprietor shall ever have exceeding five votes in his own right, whatever may be the number of shares he may hold.

ART. 7. — No transfer of any share shall be valid, until approved by the Company or the Board of Directors, and properly authenticated by a certificate signed by the President and Secretary.

ART. 8. — All taxes and fines due from any members shall attach upon their shares in the Library; and no transfer of any such shares shall be valid, until such taxes and fines shall be paid.

ART. 9. — At every annual meeting, each member shall pay to the Treasurer one dollar, to be appropriated to the purchase of books.

ART. 10. — All taxes necessary for repairs, and other purposes of the Institution, shall be assessed by the Company at their annual meetings, or at special meetings called agreeably to the third, fourth, and fifth Articles.

ART. 11. — Any member who shall neglect to make the annual payment established by the ninth Article, or who shall neglect, after notice, in writing, from the Treasurer or from the Secretary, to pay any tax assessed by the Company, or any fine by him incurred, shall be deprived of the use of the Library during such delinquency.

ART. 12. — If any member shall so continue to neglect for the space of one year after such notice, his right and share in the Library shall be forfeited, *ipso facto*, to the Company; provided that, three months previous to such forfeiture, further notice thereof shall be given to the delinquent member by the Treasurer or from the Secretary, and that no share shall be forfeited for any fines or taxes of less amount than five dollars; provided also that every member, who shall be absent at sea at the time the forfeiture of his share would accrue, shall be allowed three months, with notice as aforesaid, after his return, before such forfeiture shall take place.

ART. 13. — The Company, at their annual meetings, shall elect from among their members a President, eleven Directors, a Treasurer, a Secretary, and such other officers as they shall think necessary; vacancies in any of which offices shall be filled at any special meeting. If more than one candidate be nominated for any office, the Company shall elect by ballot. If no person shall have a majority of the votes, the ballot shall be taken again between the two persons having the highest number on the first trial. The votes shall be counted by the Treasurer and Secretary, except in their own election; the votes in which case shall be counted by the President, or by either of the Directors.

ART. 14. — *The President.* — He shall have a general superintendence of the Library; shall preside at the meetings of the Company and of the Directors, of whom he may call special meetings at such times as he shall think necessary; and shall himself be a Director *ex officio*.

ART. 15. — *The Directors.* — They shall meet at the Library-room on a stated day in each quarter, or at such other times and places as they shall appoint; of all which meetings, except those by adjournment, every Director not absent from the island shall have notice given him by the Secretary. The votes of six Directors personally present shall be necessary for the adoption of any measure.

It shall be the duty of the Directors to superintend the Library and property of the Company, direct the purchase of books, to make necessary repairs, and adopt temporary regulations (not inconsistent with the charter

and laws of the Company) in cases unprovided for; such regulations to remain in force only until the next meeting of the Company.

They shall select and appoint a Librarian, whom also they may remove; shall prescribe his duties, and fix the amount of compensation to be allowed him.

When any member shall recommend any book or work to the Directors by leaving the title thereof with the Librarian, the same shall be considered by them.

They shall have power to ascertain all fines due to the Company, but not to remit any fines incurred by a breach of the laws of the Company; which they shall take care to have strictly enforced.

They may grant the privilege of the Company, so far as relates to the use of the books, to such distinguished strangers, or liberal benefactors to this Library, as may be temporarily resident in the city of Newport.

At the annual meeting of the Company, the Directors shall make report of their proceedings during the past year; and shall recommend for the consideration of the Company such measures as they may think advisable.

ART. 16. — All moneys due to the Company, in taxes, fines, or otherwise, shall be paid to the Treasurer, and be by him held subject to the orders of the Company and of the Directors. Upon non-payment, after proper notice, of any money so due, the Treasurer shall have power, with the advice of the Directors, to sue for and recover the same in the name of the Company.

He shall account annually to the Directors, on some day not more than one month preceding the annual meeting of the Company, and at such other times as they may require.

ART. 17. — *The Secretary.* — He shall keep journals of the proceedings of the Company and of the Directors, to each of whom he shall act as Secretary, and of whose respective meetings he shall give due notice to the several members.

He shall record all transfers of shares approved of by the Company; and, under the orders of the Directors, shall have the care of the charter, laws, and deeds of the Company.

ART. 18. — All the books belonging to the Library shall be on the shelves on the Wednesday previous to the annual meeting in each year; and every proprietor, who shall refuse or neglect to return the book or books which may be out on his respective share or shares, shall pay, as a fine for such neglect, the sum of twenty-five cents.

ART. 19. — Every proprietor who may neglect or refuse to pay any taxes or assessments which may have been or shall be ordered at the annual meeting of the Company, or any fine or fines legally assessed by the Directors or Librarian for the detention of books, for the space of three months after such taxes, assessments, or fines, shall have been respectively levied, shall be debarred the use of the Library, as it respects the taking-out of books, until such taxes, assessments, or fines, shall be paid.

All Acts heretofore passed by this General Assembly, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.



---

## REGULATIONS.

---

1. The Library and Reading-room shall be kept open on such days and at such hours as the Directors may designate.

2. All books, pamphlets, &c., shall be legibly marked with the name of the Library; and, if presented, shall have inscribed in them the names of the givers, unless otherwise requested.

3. Each person entitled to the privileges of the Library shall be allowed to take out any two volumes at a time: which may be kept, if a folio or quarto, for four weeks; if an octavo or a duodecimo, for two weeks; and, if a pamphlet, for one week. Of a set of books, he may take, at any time, two volumes; the latter of which, he may retain for the whole time which would have been allowed for both, had they been taken separately.

4. If any person shall detain a book over the time allowed, he shall pay, as a fine, five cents for every day's detention of such book; and, if it shall not be returned within twenty days after demand made in writing therefor by the Librarian, he shall pay the value of the book, or of the set to which it belongs, — the value to be estimated by the Directors.

5. Any person who shall soil or damage or lose a book belonging to the Library shall be liable to such fine as the Directors may impose; or shall pay the value of the book, or of the set, if it be part of a set, as the Directors may elect.

6. Any person entitled to books may enter his name with the Librarian for any book then out, and shall be entitled thereupon to receive such book when returned. But no name shall be entered at any one time for more than one book, or two volumes of a set; nor shall more than one name be entered at the same time for the same book: and such book shall be reserved for only one library-day.

7. No book shall be delivered to any one but a stockholder, or a member of his immediate family, or upon a stockholder's written order, except as provided for in Article 20: and no person shall take a book from the Library, except at the hands of the Librarian or his Assistant; to either of whom only shall such book be returned.

8. The Librarian shall have power to prohibit the removal of books from the shelves, whenever he may deem such removal improper.

9. No book belonging to the Library shall be lent by any person taking the same, under the penalty of one dollar.

10. The Librarian shall carefully examine all books returned; and shall, at the time, note any damage done to them, in a book kept for that pur-

pose, in which he shall keep an account of all violations of the Regulations relating to the Institution.

11. The Directors may on special occasions, at their discretion, authorize individuals, not connected with the Institution, to use the Library under such restrictions as they shall impose.

12. Any person who shall violate any of these regulations shall be liable to forfeit his right to the privileges of the Institution for one year; or for a less time, as the Directors shall determine.

13. All books shall be returned to the Library at such times as the Directors may order, when a careful examination of the Library shall be made; and any person who shall fail to conform to such an order shall be liable to a fine of one dollar.

14. Books belonging to the Library may be used in the Reading-room. Any person desiring to use books in the Reading-room shall be furnished with a card, on which he shall designate the book or books asked for, by stating the letter of the shelf and the number of the book on the shelf, and the volume or volumes (all which can be learned from the Catalogue); and this card, which must be presented when a book is asked for to be used in the Reading-room, will be retained as long as the owner retains the books: but no book, so received, shall be taken from the Reading-room.

15. Each pamphlet or periodical used in the Reading-room shall be returned to its place by the person using it; and all books used there shall be returned to the Librarian or to his Assistant.

16. All conversation and all conduct, inconsistent with the quiet and orderly use of the Reading-room, are absolutely prohibited. Infraction of this rule will incur the penalty of future exclusion.

17. No books shall be taken from the shelves by any person not employed in the Library, except such as are deposited in the Reading-room for reference.

18. Any stockholder may introduce a friend to the Reading-room, for a day.

19. Any person, with permission of the Directors, may deposit books, or other works of art, in the Library, to remain there for use or otherwise, as the owners may direct; which shall be under the same care and regulations as the property of the Institution, but without devolving any responsibility on the Company.

20. Under the foregoing Regulations, any persons (though not stockholders) having a temporary residence in the city, with the consent of the Directors, may have the use of the Library and Reading-room by paying therefor five dollars, in advance, for the season, and depositing with the Librarian twenty dollars; which deposit shall be restored on the return of all books taken out, and the payment of any fines which have been incurred by the depositor. The Directors, however, in their discretion, may dispense with the deposit.

21. All books, when first introduced into the Library, by purchase or gift, shall remain one week on the table before being put into circulation.

## AN ALPHABETICAL LIST

OF THE

NAMES OF DONORS OF BOOKS TO THE REDWOOD LIBRARY  
AND ATHENÆUM,

FROM 1750 TO SEPTEMBER, 1860, INCLUSIVE.

(Figures denote the date of gift, and the number of volumes: *p.* denotes pamphlets.)

Albany Association, 1849 . . . . 1	Boston, City of, 1859 . . . . . 1
Allan, B. R., 1860 . . . . . p. 1	Boston Library, Mercantile, 1844 . . . 1
Allan, E. P., 1880 . . . . . 1	Boston Library, Public, 1859 . . . . 1
Allston, William M., 1810 . . . . . 6	Bours, John, 1810-11 . . . . . 16
Almy, Jonathan, 1810 . . . . . 2	Bours, Peter, 1814 . . . . . 3
American Peace Society, 1851 . . . . 1	Boutwell, G. S., 1855 . . . . . 3
Amherst College, 1859 . . . . . 1	Bowditch, N. I., 1836-52 . . . . . 2
Anderson, Mrs. E. G., 1860 . . . . 10	Bowler, Metcalf, 1750 . . . . . 1
Angel, J. R., 1855 . . . . . 6	Brenton, E. Pelham, 1831 . . . . . 2
Anthony, H. B. (U. States), 1859 . . 10	Brett, John, M.D., 1750 . . . . . 8
Arnold, S. G., 1860 . . . . . 2	Brevoort, J. Carson, of Brooklyn, N.Y., 1859, one volume privately printed; viz., Washington's Diary. 8vo. New York. 1858 . . . . . 1
Athenæum, Providence, 1853 . . . . 1	Brinley, Edward, 1833 . . . . . 2
Auchmuty, Robert N., 1810 . . . . . 2	Brinley, Francis, 1853-9 . . . . . 13
Auchmuty, Samuel D., 1810 . . . . . 1	Brooks, Rev. Charles T., 1845-59 . . 11
Bache, Alexander D., 1859 . . . . . 4	Brooks, Nathan C., 1844 . . . . . 1
Balch, L. P. W., 1859-60 . . . . . 2	Brooks, Henry M., 1860 . . . . . p. 3
Bardin, Charles, 1756 . . . . . 1	Brooks, Sidney, 1856-9 . . . . . 84
Barnard, Henry, 1844 . . . . . 1	Brown, Moses, 1825 . . . . . 8
Barnard, Thomas M. A., 1753 . . . . 2	Brown University, 1843 . . . . . 1
Barker, James, 1845 . . . . . 1	Brownell, T., 1860 . . . . . p. 2
Bartlett, J. R., 1856-60 . . . . . 6	Buffum, David, 1823-59 . . . . . 11
Beck, Henry P., 1846-60 . . . . . 15	Bull, Joseph, 1750 . . . . . 11
Bedee, Moses, 1847 . . . . . 1	Bull, Henry, 1810-22 . . . . . 5
Benson, Egbert, 1818 . . . . . p. 2	Bullfinch, S., 1860 . . . . . 1
Birckhead, James, 1860 . . . . . 1	Burroughs, Green, 1812 . . . . . 1
Bixby, J. M., 1849-52 . . . . . 2	Cahoone, Stephen, 1829-53 . . . . 10
Bland, Michael, 1752 . . . . . 4	Calvert, George H., 1845-60 . . . . 12
Bohn, H. G., 1847 . . . . . 1	
Boss, John L., jun., 1810-19 . . 13; p. 2	
Boss, Nicholas G., 1817-33 . . . . 53	

Canfield, Richard, 1860 . . . . .	2	Easton, William, 1823 . . . . .	2
Carey, Matthew, 1815 . . . . .	1	Elton, Rev. Romeo, 1822 . . . . .	1
Carpenter, Martha, 1833 . . . . .	2	Ely, E. S., Philadelphia, 1822 . . . . .	1
Carpenter, Phœbe, 1810 . . . . .	3	Engs, George, 1833 . . . . .	2
Carpenter, Willett, 1835 . . . . .	2	Evans, Rev. John, 1821 . . . . .	8; p. 5
Chaloner, Dr. John, 1750 . . . . .	6	Ewbank, T., 1850 . . . . .	1
Champlin, C. G., 1840 . . . . .	37	Faisneau, Pascal, 1833 . . . . .	1
Champlin, Martha, 1844 . . . . .	16	Ferris, Isaac, 1859 . . . . .	p. 1
Channing, Edward, 1825 . . . . .	16	Fessenden, Benjamin, 1829 . . . . .	8
Channing, George, 1825 . . . . .	24	Flagg, Ebenezer, 1750 . . . . .	2
Channing, Dr. Walter, 1812-46 . . . . .	3	Folsom, George, 1848 . . . . .	1
Channing, William E., 1830-6 . . . . .	3	Fowler, Christopher, 1810-30 . . . . .	16
Chase, Mrs., 1833 . . . . .	3	Francis, John W., M.D., 1858 . . . . .	p. 1
Choules, John O., 1829 . . . . .	2	French, Benjamin F., 1855 . . . . .	1
Clarke, Audley, 1822 . . . . .	5	Galloup, L. Fredk., 1842 . . . . .	1
Clarke, William A., 1842-60 . . . . .	30	Gardner, Samuel F., 1821 . . . . .	11
Club of Newport, 1750 . . . . .	61	Gardner, Mrs. Harriet F., 1857 . . . . .	3
Coggeshall, David M., 1825 . . . . .	3	Gibbs, George, 1831 . . . . .	6
Coggeshall, James, 1832 . . . . .	1	Gibbs, Ruth, 1812 . . . . .	1
Coggeshall, John, 1822 . . . . .	3	Gibbes, R. M., 1849 . . . . .	1
Coggeshall, Russell, 1857 . . . . .	1	Gibbs, William C., 1821-60 . . . . .	92
Coggeshall, W. T., 1860 . . . . .	p. 1	Among them, <i>Compagnes d'Italie</i> , illustr. from designs by Vernet. 1 fol. Paris. 1806.	
Collins, Henry, 1750 . . . . .	2		
Cope, Thomas P., 1844 . . . . .	4	Gibbs, Sarah, 1860 . . . . .	2
Cotton, Charles, M.D., 1816 . . . . .	3	Gilliat, J. H., 1843 . . . . .	1
Cozzens, Issachar, 1843 . . . . .	2	Gilpin, John B., 1812 . . . . .	83
Cozzens, James, 1855 . . . . .	1	Goodwin, George, 1812-21 . . . . .	4
Cozzens, William C., 1859 . . . . .	1	Goodwin, Fred. H., 1825 . . . . .	5
Cranston, Mrs. Caleb, 1859 . . . . .	1	Gould, John S., 1859 . . . . .	5
Cranston, Henry Y., 1810-49 . . . . .	17	Gould, N. H., 1842 . . . . .	28
Cranston, Robert B., 1842 . . . . .	3	Gould, Stephen, 1821 . . . . .	6
Cranston, William H., 1859 . . . . .	3	Grace, John A., 1833 . . . . .	3
Crooker, Isaiah, 1833 . . . . .	1	Gray, Francis C., 1850 . . . . .	8
Crow, W., 1859 . . . . .	p. 1	Greene, A. C., 1846-9 . . . . .	3
Davis, Isaac P., 1832 . . . . .	1; p. 2	Greene, S. A., 1859 . . . . .	p. 2
Davis, Thomas, 1853-6 . . . . .	14	Griffin, Mary, 1854-9 . . . . .	34
De Kroft, Mrs. S. H., 1851 . . . . .	1	Guild, Reuben N., 1859 . . . . .	1
Dennison, Patience, 1811 . . . . .	1	Hadwen, Benjamin, 1810 . . . . .	10
De Rham, Mrs. C., 1843 . . . . .	1	Hambleton, Samuel, 1812 . . . . .	1
Detroit Young Men's Society, 1860 . . . . .	p. 2	Hammond, William G., 1845 . . . . .	1
Dixon, Anthony, 1825 . . . . .	1	Handy, Mrs. C. O., 1857 . . . . .	1
Door, James A., 1859 . . . . .	1	Harrison, Joseph, 1750 . . . . .	4
Douglas, William, M.D., 1750 . . . . .	2	Hart, Abraham, 1750 . . . . .	2
Dripps, M., 1859 . . . . .	ms. 1	Harvard University, 1860 . . . . .	4
Dumont, A. H., 1846-59 . . . . .	6	Hawkshurst, S. C., 1837 . . . . .	1
Dunbar, William, 1750 . . . . .	2	Hayward, George, M.D., 1860 . . . . .	1
Dunlap, S. F., 1859 . . . . .	1	Hazard, John A., 1843 . . . . .	3
Dunn, T. C., M.D., 1822 . . . . .	1	Hazard, Thomas, 1852 . . . . .	1
Durfee, Job, 1822 . . . . .	1	Heatly, Andrew, 1753 . . . . .	3
Durfee, Nathan B., 1857-8 . . . . .	14	Hiccoox, John H., 1860 . . . . .	p. 2
Easton, Mrs. J. H., 1833 . . . . .	2	Historical Society, Rhode-Island, 1828 . . . . .	1
Easton, Jonathan, sen., 1810 . . . . .	2		

Hitchcock, Thomas, 1859 . . . . .	22	Malcolm, Rev. C. H., 1860 . . . . .	3
Holcomb, Henry, 1821-3 . . . . .	3	Mann, John P., 1810 . . . . .	6
Holmes, Rev. Dr., 1810-23 . . . . .	35	Martin, Edward, 1810 . . . . .	13
Homans, J. S., 1860 . . . . .	1	Marchant, William, 1810 . . . . .	24
Hoppin, Rev. Dr., 1859 . . . . .	p. 1	Maseres, Francis, M.A., 1770 . . . . .	2
Hossack, David, M.D., 1829 . . . . .	7	Mason, H. P., 1860 . . . . .	ms. 1
Hough, Franklin B., 1857 . . . . .	p. 2	Mason, George, 1834 . . . . .	3
Howland, Sarah, 1851 . . . . .	2	Mason, Susan, 1812 . . . . .	6
Hunter, William, 1810-21 . . . . .	10	Massachusetts Hist. Society, 1856-7 . . . . .	3
Hunter, William, jun., 1822 . . . . .	6	May, J. J., 1859 . . . . .	1
Jacob, Joseph, 1752 . . . . .	1	McDowell, Dr. William, 1752 . . . . .	18
James, Charles T., 1854 . . . . .	6	McKy, Hugh, 1750 . . . . .	1
Jones, W. Alfred, 1851-8 . . . . .	2	McRea, Mary . . . . .	1
King, Charles Bird, 1810-60 . . . . .	215	McSparran, Rev. James, D.D., 1753 . . . . .	7
King, Charles W., 1833 . . . . .	2; p. 2	Mease, James, 1812, 1821 . . . . .	2
King, David, M.D., 1810 . . . . .	6	Medical Society, Rhode-Island, 1850 . . . . .	1
King, David, M.D., 1841-56 . . . . .	50	Mein, John, 1810 . . . . .	9
King, Edward, 1860 . . . . .	275	Mercer, William N., M.D., 1858 . . . . .	51
King, George G., 1846-53 . . . . .	33	Among them, North-American Forest-trees; by André-Michaux. 3 vols. royal 8vo. Paris: 1810-13.	
King, Wm. H., 1860 . . . . .	2	Metcalf, Samuel F., M.D., 1833 . . . . .	1
Kinlock, Francis (S.C.), 1822 . . . . .	1	Miller, William, 1810 . . . . .	1
Knowles, Rev. J. D., 1832 . . . . .	2	Moffatt, Thomas, M.D., 1750 . . . . .	1
Lance, Rev. Mr., 1825 . . . . .	1	Monro, Archibald, 1825 . . . . .	1
Lardner, Rev. Nathaniel, D.D., 1764 . . . . .	17	Moore, Clement C., 1852 . . . . .	1
Lawrence, S. Abbot, 1860 . . . . .	3; e. 2	Murray, James, 1750 . . . . .	1
Lawrence, W. B., 1855-60 . . . . .	3; p. 2	Myers, Naphtali H., 1750 . . . . .	4
Lawton, Edw. W., 1833 . . . . .	1	Nantucket Athenæum, 1844 . . . . .	1
Lawton, Robert, 1813 . . . . .	1	Neal, Nathaniel, 1764 . . . . .	4
Lawton, Susan, 1833 . . . . .	1	Newman, S. C., 1860 . . . . .	map 1
Lee, R. P., 1822 . . . . .	1	Newton, Edw. F., 1843 . . . . .	1
Legislature of Rhode Island, 1849-57 . . . . .	4	New York, City of, 1827, 1842 . . . . .	7
Lenox, James, 1852-60 . . . . .	4	New-York Mercantile Library, 1860 . . . . .	p. 6
Four volumes privately printed, viz.:—		New-York State Library, 1857 . . . . .	12
Niccolo Sillacio's Account of the Second Voyage of Columbus; and the Letter of the Physician Chanca, who accompanied Columbus. 4to. New York: 1860.		Ogden, Edward, 1859 . . . . .	1
Voyages from Holland to America, 1632-44. By David Peterson. De Vries. 4to. New York: 1853.		Ogilvie, James, 1810 . . . . .	39
Reprint of Washington's Farewell Address, from the original manuscript. 4to. New York: 1850.		Olyphant, David W. C., 1833 . . . . .	1
Two rare Tracts relating to New Netherlands; printed at Antwerp, 1649; and Amsterdam, 1650. 4to. New York: 1854.		Paddock, Joseph, 1859 . . . . .	2
Library, Philadelphia, 1822 . . . . .	2	Paine, Martyn, 1852-6 . . . . .	3
Lindsay, Rev. Mr., 1847 . . . . .	1	Paine, Caroline, 1860 . . . . .	1
Littlefield, A. N., 1860 . . . . .	1	Palmer, W. R., 1859 . . . . .	p. 1
Longfellow, H. W., 1856 . . . . .	4	Parker, Mrs. Peter, 1830 . . . . .	1
Loving, Joseph, 1859 . . . . .	1	Parrish, Daniel A., 1859 . . . . .	1
Lubben, F. M., 1859 . . . . .	1	Parsons, Usher, M.D., 1855-60 . . . . .	2; p. 2
Macauley, Catharine, 1772 . . . . .	6	Patten, Rev. William, D.D., 1810 . . . . .	9
Mackenzie, Alexander, 1750 . . . . .	1	Patten, Joseph, 1814 . . . . .	3
Malbone, Catherine, 1812 . . . . .	2	Pearce, Dutee J., 1832 . . . . .	2
		Peckham, C. B., 1857-60 . . . . .	15
		Peckham, Thomas, 1810 . . . . .	16
		Pell, Duncan C., 1854-60 . . . . .	26
		Perry, C. G., 1843-8 . . . . .	13

Perry, Frances, 1854 . . . . .	2	Stall, Isaac, 1833 . . . . .	2
Perry, Com. M. C., 1827-56 . . . . .	5	Stevens, James, 1818, 1821 . . . . .	3
Perry, Com. Oliver H., 1814 . . . . .	4	Stevens, John, 1812 . . . . .	3
Philadelphia Library Company, 1859 . . . . .	1	Stevens, John W., 1835 . . . . .	1
Pierce, Benjamin, 1810-15 . . . . .	5	Stevens, Robert, 1810 . . . . .	16
Pierce, J. B., 1845 . . . . .	8	Stevens, Robert, jun. . . . .	1
Pitman, Thomas G., 1821 . . . . .	2	Stevens, William, 1750 . . . . .	2
Pollen, Rev. Thomas, 1759 . . . . .	3	Stevens, William, 1833 . . . . .	2
Potter, E. R., 1842-60 . . . . .	8; p. 6	Stuart, H. G., 1853 . . . . .	1
Prince, William R., 1832 . . . . .	3	Sunderland, Ray, 1845 . . . . .	1
Prison-discipline Society, 1856-9 . . . . .	3	Taylor, R. J., 1843-60 . . . . .	5
Providence Athenæum, 1854-60 . . . . .	1; p. 7	Taylor, W. R., 1847-52 . . . . .	2
Quincy, Josiah, 1846 . . . . .	1	Tennessee Historical Society, 1859 . . . . .	3
Randolph, Ann, 1823 . . . . .	2	Tenny, Rev. C. J., 1810 . . . . .	8
Reid, Jared, 1852 . . . . .	2	Thayer, William, 1827 . . . . .	1
Reynolds, Benjamin, 1812 . . . . .	1	Thomas, Isaiah, 1812 . . . . .	2
Rhode-Island Peace Society, 1846 . . . . .	1	Thompson, Charles, 1815 . . . . .	1
Rhode Island, State of, 1858-60 . . . . .	7	Thorndike, Augustus, 1845 . . . . .	167
Rhodes, Simon, 1750 . . . . .	2	Thornton, Mrs. Dr., 1847 . . . . .	34
Richards, William, 1751 . . . . .	1	Thurston, John R., 1810 . . . . .	1
Richmond, W. B., 1859 . . . . .	2	Tillinghast, Jos. L., 1843 . . . . .	1
Ringgold, C., 1852 . . . . .	1	Tompkins, Hamilton B., 1859 . . . . .	2
Robbins, C. E., 1823 . . . . .	2	Trowbridge, Edmund, 1763 . . . . .	1
Robeson, Andrew, 1860 . . . . .	2	Trustees of Brown Fund, 1846 . . . . .	1
Robinson, John, 1764 . . . . .	1	Townsend, C. F., 1821 . . . . .	2
Robinson, Christopher, 1860 . . . . .	5	Tucker, Rev. Mr., 1831 . . . . .	3
Robinson, Robert, 1750 . . . . .	1	Tuckerman, H. T., 1850-60 . . . . .	3
Robinson, Robert, 1810 . . . . .	3	Tustin, Rev. Josiah P., 1849 . . . . .	1
Rodman, William M., 1859 . . . . .	1	Tyrrell, Elizabeth, 1810 . . . . .	3
Rogers, Joseph, 1812 . . . . .	16	United-States Congress, 1829-57 . . . . .	111
Rogers, Robert, 1810 . . . . .	18	United-States Government, —	
Rogers, William, 1815 . . . . .	18; p. 29	By Hon. H. B. Anthony, 1859-60 . . . . .	66
Rogers, William S., 1851 . . . . .	1	By Hon. N. B. Durfee, 1858 . . . . .	31
Ross, Arthur, 1845 . . . . .	1	By Hon. Christopher Robinson, 1860, 55	
Rousmaniere, Lewis, 1810 . . . . .	1	By Secretary of the Interior, 1859 . . . . .	56
Ruggles, Henry, 1821 . . . . .	35	Unknown, 1821-2 . . . . .	9
Russell, Charles H., 1860 . . . . .	1; p. 1	Vernon, William H., 1822-8 . . . . .	5
Ryan, John, 1860 . . . . .	map 1	Ward, Carpenter, 1833 . . . . .	3
Satterlee, Richard S., M.D., 1856-60 . . . . .	2	Ward, R. R., 1838 . . . . .	1
Schroeder, Henry, 1860 . . . . .	maps 2	Ward, Thomas, 1750 . . . . .	18
Schroeder, Henry, jun., 1851 . . . . .	2	Waring, Thomas, 1833 . . . . .	4
Scott, Judge Edward, 1750 . . . . .	10	Warren, J. C., M.D., 1850-5 . . . . .	5
Sears, Daniel, 1850 . . . . .	4	Warren, J. Mason, M.D., 1860 . . . . .	3
Sears, David, 1855-60 . . . . .	41	Waterhouse, Benj., M.D., 1822-31 . . . . .	8; p. 1
Shaw, W. C., 1846 . . . . .	2	Wayland, Rev. Francis, D.D., 1846 . . . . .	5
Sheffield, William P., 1858-60 . . . . .	5; p. 3	Wayne, Mrs. M., 1844 . . . . .	1
Sherlock, Rt. Rev. Dr., 1756-62 . . . . .	12	Wetmore, William S., 1859 . . . . .	1
Silsbee, Hon. N., 1833 . . . . .	1		
Smithsonian Institute, 1851-60 . . . . .	19		
Society, Social, 1817 . . . . .	1		
Sparks, Thomas, 1755 . . . . .	2		
Spooner, Mrs., 1933 . . . . .	1		
		A beautiful work on the Rosetta Stone.	
		Wheaton, Rev. Nathaniel S., D.D., 1830 . . . . .	2
		Whitehouse, John G., 1810 . . . . .	4
		Wickham, Thomas, 1810 . . . . .	2

---

Willcocks, Alexander, 1859 . . . . 2	Five original Photographs of the Japanese Embassy, in different groups. 1860. By Samuel Abbott Lawrence.
Williams, Rev. Hobart, 1860 . . . . 2	
Williams, Catherine, 1841-6 . . . . 2	
Williams, R. P. & E., 1826 . . . . 1	A Barometer with Spirit Thermometer. Given, 1859, by B. Pike & Sons, New York.
Wilson, John . . . . . 3	
Winston, F. S., 1859 . . . . . 1	An Aneroid Barometer with Thermometer. Given, 1859, by Henry P. Beck of Philadelphia.
Woodyear, E. G., 1829 . . . . . 1	
Worcester Am. Antiquarian Soc., 1851. 1	A Photograph of the members of the Massachusetts Historical Society, and a Photograph of the members of the Humane Society, 1858. Given by David Sears of Boston.
Wright, H. Allen, 1859 . . . . . 3	Bust of Dr. Benjamin Waterhouse, given by Mrs. L. Waterhouse.
<p>Viz., Audubon's splendid work on the Viviparous Quadrupeds of North America. 3 vols. fol.</p> <hr/>	
<p>ADDITIONAL DONATIONS.</p>	
A Photograph of the Redwood Library; given, 1860, by Samuel Abbott Lawrence.	Photograph of Gilbert Stuart.
	Photograph of Dr. B. Waterhouse.

# OFFICERS

OF

## THE REDWOOD LIBRARY AND ATHENÆUM.

### Presidents.

ABRAHAM REDWOOD . . . from 1747 to 1788.	AUDLEY CLARKE . . . . . from 1836 to 1844.
WILLIAM VERNON . . . . . „ 1791 to 1801.	GEORGE G. KING . . . . . „ 1844 to 1846.
JOHN BOURS . . . . . „ 1801 to 1809.	WILLIAM HUNTER . . . . . „ 1846 to 1849.
JONATHAN EASTON . . . „ 1809 to 1813.	DAVID KING . . . . . „ 1849 to 1859.
ROBERT STEVENS . . . . „ 1813 to 1830.	GEORGE G. KING . . . . . „ 1859 to —.
DAVID KING . . . . . „ 1830 to 1836.	

### Treasurers.

Joseph Jacob . . . . . from 1747 to 1750.	George G. King . . . . . from 1831 to 1836.
William Paul . . . . . „ 1750 to 1761.	William A. Barber . . . . . „ 1836 to 1841.
John Bours . . . . . „ 1761 to 1777.	James Barker . . . . . „ 1841 to 1848.
Stephen Ayrault . . . . . „ 1777 to 1791.	Samuel Brown . . . . . „ 1848 to 1849.
Thomas Wickham . . . . . „ 1791 to 1810.	Augustus Bush . . . . . „ 1849 to 1858.
Christopher Fowler . . from March to Sept. 1810.	Robert J. Taylor . . . from April to Sept. 1858.
Benjamin Hadwen . . . . from 1810 to 1820.	George Cozzens . . . . . from 1858 to —.
Robert Rogers . . . . . „ 1820 to 1831.	

### Secretaries.

Thomas Ward . . . . . from 1747 to 1758.	Caleb Greene . . . . . from 1795 to 1806.
Thomas Vernon . . . . . „ 1758 to 1771.	William H. Vernon . . . . . „ 1806 to 1810.
Edward Thurston, jun. . . „ 1771 to 1779.	Robert Rogers . . . . . „ 1810 to 1831.
William Channing . . . . . „ 1785 to 1791.	George G. King . . . . . „ 1831 to 1841.
Nicholas P. Tillinghast . . „ 1791 to 1792.	Robert J. Taylor . . . . . „ 1841 to —.
Edward Thurston . . . . . „ 1792 to 1795.	

### Librarians.

Edward Scott . . . . . from 1747 to 1750.	William Smith . . . . . from 1791 to 1792.
Thomas Moffatt . . . . . „ 1750 to 1752.	William Patten . . . . . „ 1792 to 1809.
Martin Howard, jun. . . . „ 1752 to 1755.	Levi Tower . . . . . „ 1809 to 1811.
Jeremiah Leaming . . . . . „ 1755 to 1756.	John Rodman . . . . . „ 1811 to 1812.
Ezra Stiles . . . . . „ 1756 to 1764.	Robert Rogers . . . . . „ 1812 to 1831.
Henry Marchant . . . . . „ 1764 to 1766.	George G. King . . . . . „ 1831 to 1835.
Edward Thurston, jun. . . . „ 1766 to 1767.	William A. Barber . . . . . „ 1835 to 1841.
Thomas Wickham, jun. . . . „ 1767 to 1768.	James Barker . . . . . „ 1841 to 1848.
Ezra Stiles . . . . . „ 1768 to 1777.	Augustus Bush . . . . . „ 1848 to 1857.
William Tillinghast . . . . . „ 1777 to 1778.	George R. Hammett . . . . „ 1857 to 1858.
George Bissett . . . . . „ 1778 to 1779.	Dumont Clarke . . . from 1858 to May, 1859.
William Tillinghast . . . . . „ 1779 to 1785.	Benjamin H. Rhoades . . . from 1859 to —.
Christopher Ellery . . . . . „ 1785 to 1791.	



OFFICERS  
OF  
THE REDWOOD LIBRARY,  
For 1858-59.

---

President.

DAVID KING.

Secretary.

ROBERT J. TAYLOR.

Treasurer.

GEORGE COZZENS.

Directors.

PELEG CLARKE.  
WILLIAM C. COZZENS.  
SIDNEY BROOKS.  
AUGUSTUS N. LITTLEFIELD.  
WILLIAM B. LAWRENCE.  
JOHN T. BUSH.

WILLIAM S. WETMORE.  
CHARLES H. RUSSELL.  
DAVID SEARS.  
A. H. DUMONT.  
GEORGE C. MASON.

Librarian.

BENJAMIN H. RHOADES.

Assistant Librarian.

DUMONT CLARKE.

---

For 1859-60.

---

President.

GEORGE G. KING.

Secretary.

ROBERT J. TAYLOR.

Treasurer.

GEORGE COZZENS.

Directors.

PELEG CLARKE.  
WILLIAM C. COZZENS.  
SIDNEY BROOKS.  
AUGUSTUS N. LITTLEFIELD.  
WILLIAM P. SHEFFIELD.  
JOHN T. BUSH.

WILLIAM S. WETMORE.  
CHARLES H. RUSSELL.  
HENRY E. TURNER.  
A. H. DUMONT.  
GEORGE C. MASON.

Librarian.

BENJAMIN H. RHOADES.

Clerk.

GEORGE H. TAYLOR.

MEMBERS  
OF  
THE REDWOOD LIBRARY AND ATHENÆUM,  
FROM 1747 TO 1860.

The figures in the first column denote the date of admission. The figures in the second column denote the date of the expiration of membership. An asterisk attached denotes the date of the death of an individual. The names of the members who applied to the Colonial Legislature for a charter in 1747 are printed in small capitals.

1747. AYRAULT, DANIEL, Jun., 1770.*	1747. BRETT, JOHN, 1755?*
1749. Ayrault, Stephen, 1794.*	1747. BROWN, JOHN, 1753.*
1763. Almy, Joshua, 1773.*	1747. Bowler, Charles.
1791. Almy, John.	1749. Bennet, William, jun., 1758.
1791. Auchmuty, Robert N., 1813.*	1749. Bennet, John (mariner).
1810. Allston, William M., 1813.	1749. Bolitho, John, 1763.
1810. Auchmuty, Samuel O., 1813.	1751. Bannister, John, 1767.*
1820. Allen, John J.	1751. Bardin, Charles, 1773.*
1821. Allen, Erastus P., 1st, 1824.	1755. Bull, Joseph, 1773.*
1821. Allen, Andrew V., 1831.	1759. Bowler, Metcalf.
1829. Anthony, Mary, 1839.	1761. Bours, John, 1815.*
1830. Allen, Erastus P., 1st, 1836.	1767. Bannister, John, 1807.*
1835. Amory, Nathaniel, 1842.*	1791. Burrill, Joseph, 1784.*
1842. Amory, Mary P., 1859.	1807. Bannister, John, 1812.
1856. Allen, Samuel.	1800. Brinley, Edward, 1835.
1856. Anderson, Martha.	1805. Brinley, Francis, 1815.*
1858. Allen, William S. N.	1810. Baring, Charles, 1819.
1858. Allen, Erastus P., 2d.	1810. Boss, John L., jun.
1858. Anthony, Joseph.	1810. Bowen, Jonathan, 1819.
1858. Anderson, Elbert J.	1810. Bull, Henry, 1841.*
1858. Ashurst, William H.	1810. Burroughs, William G., 1817.
1858. Atkinson, James.	1810. Bush, Thomas, 1848.*
1859. Ailman, Benjamin H., jun.	1814. Brown, Sarah, 1843.
1859. Allen, Nath. B.	1815. Barker, Samuel, 1848.
1859. Almy, Margarette G.	1818. Barber, William, 1835.
	1821. Brown, Thomas W., 1841.
1747. BENNETT, JOHN.	1822. Boss, Nicholas G., 1836.
1747. BORDEN, ABRAHAM, 1756.	1827. Bowen, Stephen, 1829.*
1747. BOURS, PETER, 1761.*	1828. Breeze, Thomas, 1846.*
1747. BRENTON, JAHLEEL, 1767.*	1829. Bowen, Sarah, 1859.*

- 
- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| 1835. Barber, William A., 1843.    | 1773. Coggeshall, William, 1798.*      |
| 1836. Ball, Hugh S., 1841.         | 1779. Coggeshall, John Jepson, 1783.*  |
| 1839. Beck, Henry Paul.            | 1785. Channing, William, 1793.*        |
| 1841. Barker, James, 1843.         | 1785. Champlin, George, 1809.*         |
| 1842. Bell, Charles E., 1851.      | 1785. Coggeshall, John, 1827.*         |
| 1842. Buffum, Thomas B.            | 1791. Champlin, Christopher, 1805.*    |
| 1843. Brown, Samuel.               | 1791. Clarke, Ethan, 1815.             |
| 1843. Brownell, William.           | 1791. Coggeshall, Billings, 1810.*     |
| 1845. Bowen, George.               | 1793. Cahoone, Stephen, 1854.*         |
| 1846. Breeze, Lucy R.              | 1802. Crooke, William, 1841.           |
| 1847. Bull, Phebe C., 1855.*       | 1805. Champlin, Christopher G., 1840.* |
| 1848. Bush, Augustus.              | 1810. Coggeshall, Nathaniel, 1819.     |
| 1851. Bush, John T.                | 1810. Chace, Gilbert, sen., 1826.      |
| 1854. Bailey, Joseph I.            | 1810. Channing, Walter, 1828.          |
| 1855. Berry, R. P.                 | 1810. Clark, Audley, 1844.*            |
| 1855. Brooks, Sidney.              | 1810. Coggeshall, David M., 1816.      |
| 1855. Brown, John A.               | 1822. Coggeshall, David M., 1852.      |
| 1858. Bailey, Samuel C.            | 1810. Cranston, Henry Y., 1817.        |
| 1858. Barker, Robert S.            | 1810. Cook, Clark, 1819.               |
| 1858. Birkhead, Eliza H.           | 1820. Callahan, William, 1847.         |
| 1858. Bliss, William H.            | 1821. Cahoone, Stephen H., 1841.       |
| 1858. Burroughs, George.           | 1821. Clarke, Peleg, 1834.             |
| 1858. Breeze, William G.           | 1842. Clarke, Peleg.                   |
| 1858. Brinley, Edward L.           | 1821. Coe, Adam S.                     |
| 1858. Brooks, Charles T., 1860.    | 1821. Cotton, Charles, 1827.           |
| 1858. Brownell, Thomas.            | 1824. Chace, Benjamin, 1828.           |
| 1858. Bull, Henry.                 | 1826. Chace, Mary, 1843.               |
| 1858. Bull, John.                  | 1828. Channing, Hannah, 1831.          |
| 1858. Butler, Samuel W.            | 1832. Cook, George I.                  |
| 1859. Balch, L. P. W.              | 1839. Cozzens, George, 1849.           |
| 1859. Bradford, Joseph.            | 1852. Cozzens, George.                 |
| 1859. Bowen, Sarah, Estate of.     | 1842. Clarke, William A.               |
| 1859. Bowler, William.             | 1842. Cotterell, Silas H.              |
| 1859. Butler, Harriet K.           | 1843. Chace, Gilbert.                  |
| 1860. Barber, Charles P.           | 1845. Clarke, Edward, 1855.            |
| 1860. Barreda, F. L.               | 1847. Cranston, Robert B.              |
| 1860. Brown, Jeremiah.             | 1849. Cozzens, William C.              |
|                                    | 1851. Calvert, George H.               |
| 1747. CALLENDER, JOHN, 1748.*      | 1854. Cahoone, Stephen, Estate of.     |
| 1747. CHANNING, JOHN, 1774.*       | 1858. Caswell, Phillip J.              |
| 1747. CHEESEBOROUGH, DAVID, 1782.* | 1858. Chauncy, Henry J., jun.          |
| 1747. COLLINS, HENRY, 1765.*       | 1858. Church, First Baptist.           |
| 1747. Chaloner, John, 1765.*       | 1858. Church, United Congregational.   |
| 1747. Chaloner, Walter, 1779.*     | 1858. Church, Trinity.                 |
| 1747. Collins, John, 1795.*        | 1858. Clarke, Harriet.                 |
| 1747. Cornell, Gideon.             | 1858. Coit, Benjamin W.                |
| 1747. Crooke, Robert, 1802.*       | 1858. Congdon, John C.                 |
| 1749. Coggeshall, Thomas, 1767?    | 1858. Congdon, William P.              |
| 1751. Cooke, Silas, 1792.*         | 1858. Cornell, Richard.                |
| 1760. Cozzens, Matthew, 1780.*     | 1858. Cozzens, Henry W.                |
| 1761. Cozzens, Charles.            | 1858. Cozzens, John H.                 |
| 1766. Cahoone, James.              | 1858. Cranston, William H.             |

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <p>1859. Callender, Elizabeth.<br/> 1859. Carr, B. V.<br/> 1859. Caswell, Albert.<br/> 1859. Caswell, John R.<br/> 1859. Chaffee, Nathan M.<br/> 1859. Cheves, Isabella M.<br/> 1859. Coggeshall, John C.<br/> 1859. Cotterell, Michael.<br/> 1860. Carey, John, jun.<br/> 1860. Coggeshall, Thomas.<br/> 1860. Coolidge, Thomas Jefferson.</p> <p>1747. Dennis, John, 1791.<br/> 1747. Dunbar, William.<br/> 1749. Duncan, James, 1803.*<br/> 1771. Dockray, John, 1775.<br/> 1775. Deblois, Stephen, 1795.*<br/> 1810. Deblois, Stephen, 2d, 1817.<br/> 1810. Dexter, Horatio S., 1813.<br/> 1810. Dunnell, Jacob, 1813.<br/> 1810. Dyre, Aaron F., 1823.<br/> 1813. Dennis, Elizabeth, 1821.<br/> 1813. Dennis, John, 1814.<br/> 1821. D'Wolf, Charles, jun., 1827.<br/> 1822. Dixon, Anthony, 1839.<br/> 1823. Dunn, Theophilus C.<br/> 1824. Davis, John W.<br/> 1826. Dunn, Thomas, 1833.*<br/> 1833. Dunn, Thomas, Estate of.<br/> 1841. Devens, Charles, jun.<br/> 1844. De Jongh, William F.<br/> 1855. Dumont, A. Henry.<br/> 1858. Dennis, John D.<br/> 1859. Davenport, James C.<br/> 1859. Davis, George C.<br/> 1860. Duncan, Alexander.</p> <p>1747. EASTON, JOHN.<br/> 1747. Ellery, William, 1764.*<br/> 1749. Eldred, John.<br/> 1764. Ellery, Benjamin, 1797.*<br/> 1785. Easton, Jonathan, 1813.*<br/> 1785. Ellery, Christopher, 1791.<br/> 1791. Eldred, John.<br/> 1797. Ellery, Abraham R., 1812.<br/> 1810. Earl, John, jun., 1834.<br/> 1810. Easton, Edward, 1816.<br/> 1810. Ellery, William, jun., 1835.<br/> 1810. Ennis, William, 1831.*<br/> 1818. Easton, John H., 1842.*<br/> 1821. Engs, George, 1846.*<br/> 1825. Ellery, George Wanton.</p> | <p>1830. Evans, Thomas, 1832.<br/> 1843. Ennis, William, 1849.*<br/> 1846. Engs, George, Estate of.<br/> 1858. Eldred, John.<br/> 1858. Engs, Samuel.<br/> 1859. Easton, Henry T.<br/> 1859. Ennis, Caroline W.<br/> 1859. Ennis, Paul M.</p> <p>1758. Flagg, Ebenezer, 1762.*<br/> 1762. Flagg, William, 1785.<br/> 1785. Flagg, Henry Collins, 1811.<br/> 1791. Faxon, John.<br/> 1810. Fairman, Richard, 1812.<br/> 1810. Feke, Charles, 1813.<br/> 1810. Fowler, Christopher, 1830.*<br/> 1823. Feltus, Henry T., 1827.<br/> 1828. Freeborn, Michael.<br/> 1850. Finch, Benjamin.<br/> 1859. Fadden, John.<br/> 1859. Fludder, William.<br/> 1859. French, Augustus.<br/> 1860. Ford, John R.<br/> 1860. Foster, John.</p> <p>1747. GARDNER, JOHN, 1764.*<br/> 1747. GRANT, PATRICK.<br/> 1747. GRAY, EBENEZER.<br/> 1749. Gibbs, George, 1803.*<br/> 1756. Grant, Alexander.<br/> 1761. Grelea, John, jun.<br/> 1761. Greene, John.<br/> 1785. Greene, Caleb, 1825.*<br/> 1791. Gardner, Walter C.<br/> 1803. Gibbs, George, 2d, 1832.*<br/> 1810. Gardner, William C., 1844.*<br/> 1810. Gardner, Benjamin, 1818.<br/> 1810. Geoffroy, Nicholas, 1820.<br/> 1810. Gilpin, John B., 1837.<br/> 1813. Gardner, Samuel Fowler, 1845.*<br/> 1819. Gould, Isaac, 1854.<br/> 1820. Gardner, Silas, 1821.<br/> 1822. Gyles, Charles, 1849.*<br/> 1826. Goodwin, Frederick H., 1841.<br/> 1832. Gibbs, William C.<br/> 1832. Gilliat, John H., 1856.<br/> 1833. Grace, John A., 1840.<br/> 1837. Gallup, Lewis F., 1852.<br/> 1840. Gould, Nathan H.<br/> 1844. Gilpin, William.<br/> 1845. Gardner, Samuel F., Estate of.<br/> 1849. Gyles, Charles, Estate of.</p> |
|--|--|

- 
- |                                      |                                      |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1854. Gould, David J.                | 1858. Hammett, Nathan B., Estate of. |
| 1858. Gibbes, R. Morgan.             | 1858. Hart, Joseph M.                |
| 1858. Goffe, Augustus.               | 1858. Hammond, William G., jun.      |
| 1858. Goffe, Eliza F.                | 1858. Hazard, Benjamin A.            |
| 1858. Goffe, Emma.                   | 1858. Hazard, Isaac P.               |
| 1858. Greene, George W.              | 1858. Hazard, George A.              |
| 1859. Goddard, Stephen.              | 1858. Hazard, James L.               |
| 1859. Gray, Louisa F.                | 1858. Hazard, Rowland R., jun.       |
|                                      | 1858. Holloway, David W.             |
| 1747. HARRISON, JOSEPH.              | 1858. Hopkins, Samuel F.             |
| 1747. HAZARD, BENJAMIN.              | 1858. Hoppin, Hamilton.              |
| 1747. HONYMAN, JAMES, 1750.*         | 1858. Hunter, Charles.               |
| 1747. HONYMAN, JAMES, Jun., 1778.*   | 1859. Hammett, Charles E., jun.      |
| 1747. Hart, Abraham.                 | 1859. Hammond, Sarah J.              |
| 1747. Holmes, Samuel, 1772?          | 1859. Hammond, Lydia B.              |
| 1749. Hendrin, Paris.                | 1859. Hazard, George Borden.         |
| 1751. Hawdan, James, 1764.           | 1859. Hazard, Theophilus D.          |
| 1754. Honyman, Francis, 1764.*       | 1859. Hone, Robert.                  |
| 1754. Howard, Martin, jun., 1775.    | 1859. Hunter, Rebecca.               |
| 1756. Howland, Thomas.               | 1860. Hazard, Henry B.               |
| 1764. Hargill, Christopher.          | 1860. Hoffman, Lindley M.            |
| 1765. Hall, Samuel, 1769.            | 1860. Hoppin, Thomas F.              |
| 1775. Hunter, William, 1777.*        | 1860. Hill, John D.                  |
| 1791. Hunter, William, 1849.*        |                                      |
| 1791. Hadwin, Benjamin, 1837.        | 1806. Irish, George, 1817.           |
| 1791. Hazard, George, 1797.*         | 1856. Irish, Mary.                   |
| 1794. Hazard, Benjamin, 1841.*       | 1858. Ives, Robert H.                |
| 1810. Hazard, Enoch, 1844.*          |                                      |
| 1810. Hazard, William, 1816.         | 1747. JACOB, JOSEPH, 1778.*          |
| 1810. Hudson, Henry T., 1818.        | 1747. Jepson, John, 1779.*           |
| 1815. Hammett, John V.               | 1810. Johnson, John, 1816.           |
| 1821. Hall, George.                  | 1833. Johnston, Robert, 1846.*       |
| 1821. Hammett, Nathan B., 1858.*     | 1858. Jackson, Henry.                |
| 1821. Hammett, Nathan, 1822.         | 1858. Joachinson, P. J.              |
| 1822. Hammett, Charles E.            | 1858. Jones, G. Wymberly.            |
| 1822. Hammett, Edward.               | 1859. Jack, William.                 |
| 1823. Hammett, Robert W., 1857.*     |                                      |
| 1825. Howland, Avis C., 1843.        | 1810. King, David, 1836.*            |
| 1827. Howland, Benjamin B.           | 1810. King, Samuel, 1831.*           |
| 1830. Hammond, William G.            | 1831. King, George G.                |
| 1835. Holt, Harriet, 1848.           | 1833. King, Charles W.               |
| 1840. Hazard, Thomas R.              | 1833. King, Harriet V., 1852.*       |
| 1841. Hazard, Benjamin, Estate of.   | 1841. King, David.                   |
| 1842. Hammond, Zenas L.              | 1846. King, Edward.                  |
| 1843. Howland, Sarah, 1850.          | 1855. King, William H.               |
| 1845. Hazard, John Alfred, of Enoch. | 1858. Kane, De Lancey.               |
| 1846. Hall, Milton, 1853.            | 1858. King, Charles B.               |
| 1860. Hall, Milton.                  | 1858. Kinsley, Rufus B.              |
| 1849. Hunter, Thomas R.              | 1859. Kaul, Thomas F.                |
| 1850. Hammett, Charles D., 1851.     | 1859. King, Caroline.                |
| 1857. Hazard, John A., of T. G.      |                                      |
| 1857. Hammett, R. W., Estate of.     | 1747. LYNDON, JOSIAS, 1778.*         |

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <p> 1748. Leaming, Jeremiah.<br/> 1749. Lopez, Moses, 1758.<br/> 1808. Lopez, Joseph, 1817.<br/> 1810. Lopez, Samuel, 1813.<br/> 1810. Lawton, Robert, 1819.<br/> 1821. Lawton, Edward W., 1857.<br/> 1821. Lee, Robert P.<br/> 1822. Lovie, James, 1825.<br/> 1822. Lyon, Joseph.<br/> 1843. Littlefield, Augustus N.<br/> 1844. Lockwood, Ralph, 1847.<br/> 1849. Lawton, Francis.<br/> 1849. Lyon, James W.<br/> 1851. Lawrence, William B.<br/> 1857. Lawton, Edward W., jun.<br/> 1857. Littlefield, William.<br/> 1858. Lawton, Charles E.<br/> 1858. Lawton, Gideon C.<br/> 1858. Lenox, James.<br/> 1858. Leverett, William C.<br/> 1858. Lyon, Joseph M.<br/> 1859. Landers, John B.<br/> 1859. Lawton, George.<br/> 1860. Lawrence, Samuel Abbot.<br/> 1860. Lemont, Mary D.<br/> <br/> 1747. MOFFATT, THOMAS, 1765.<br/> 1747. Malbone, Godfrey, jun., 1785.*<br/> 1751. Malbone, Evan, 1782? *<br/> 1751. Melville, David, 1773.<br/> 1753. Malbone, Thomas, 1754.*<br/> 1760. Malbone, John, 1795.*<br/> 1774. Marcy, Hadlock.<br/> 1774. Mumford, Nathaniel.<br/> 1775. Mawdsley, John, 1795.*<br/> 1785. Marchant, Henry, 1796.*<br/> 1785. Mason, Daniel, 1797.*<br/> 1791. Miller, Elizabeth, 1804.*<br/> 1796. Marchant, William, 1819.<br/> 1804. Miller, William, 1813.<br/> 1806. Mann, John Preston, 1837.*<br/> 1810. Mardenborough, George, 1820.<br/> 1810. Martin, Simeon, 1819.*<br/> 1810. Martin, Edward, 1818.<br/> 1810. Martin, George W., 1815.<br/> 1810. Mein, John, 1814.<br/> 1810. Moore, Henry, 1817.<br/> 1819. Martin, Simeon, Estate of, 1835.<br/> 1820. Mumford, Thomas H., 1825.<br/> 1821. Moore, Harriet.<br/> 1821. Mumford, Benjamin B., 1821.<br/> 1821. Munro, Archibald, 1833. </p> | <p> 1826. Martin, Joseph, 1840.<br/> 1838. McGregor, Alexander, 1842.<br/> 1838. Middleton, Henry, 1851.<br/> 1838. Minturn, Lloyd, 1849.<br/> 1839. Mason, Charles, 1843.<br/> 1841. Mumford, Avis C.<br/> 1842. Mason, James L., 1852.<br/> 1844. Mason, Benjamin A.<br/> 1855. Maitland, Robert L.<br/> 1857. Moore, Clement C.<br/> 1858. McKaye, James.<br/> 1858. Mason, Earl P.<br/> 1858. Mason, George C.<br/> 1858. Mason, Robert M.<br/> 1858. Melville, Benjamin.<br/> 1858. Melville, Samuel J.<br/> 1858. Mercer, William N.<br/> 1858. Messer, William.<br/> 1858. Middleton, Henry A.<br/> 1858. Mixter, Charles.<br/> 1858. Moffitt, Simon.<br/> 1858. Munro, Josiah S.<br/> 1859. Martin, George.<br/> 1859. Middleton, Francis K.<br/> 1859. Middleton, Henry A., jun.<br/> 1859. Morris, Wistar.<br/> 1859. Mumford, Arthur.<br/> 1859. Munro, Rebecca S.<br/> 1860. Malcoln, Charles H.<br/> 1860. Mohr, J. H.<br/> <br/> 1747. NICHOLS, JONATHAN, 1756.*<br/> 1810. Nichols, Walter, 1819.<br/> 1810. Northam, Stephen T., 1856.*<br/> 1821. Newcomb, Henry S., 1823.<br/> 1824. Newton, John B., 1825.<br/> 1842. Nichols, Thomas P., 1849.<br/> 1844. Nichols, Walter, 2d, 1857.<br/> 1847. Newton, Simon, jun., 1847.*<br/> 1847. Newton, Simon, Estate of.<br/> 1857. Newton, Mary E.<br/> 1857. Northam, Stephen, Estate of.<br/> 1858. Newton, James R.<br/> 1858. Newton, William.<br/> 1858. Nicolai, J. Edward.<br/> 1860. Norman, Thomas M.<br/> <br/> 1774. Otis, Jonathan.<br/> 1800. Olyphant, David, 1805.*<br/> 1805. Olyphant, Anne, 1818.<br/> 1849. Oman, Thomas H.<br/> 1858. Ogden, Edward L. </p> |
|---|--|

- 
- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1858. Ogden, Catherine E.              | 1748. Rhodes, Joseph.                  |
| 1860. Oman, William.                   | 1749. Richards, William.               |
|  | 1749. Rhodes, Simon.                   |
| 1747. PAUL, WILLIAM.                   | 1753. Rodman, Thomas.                  |
| 1747. PEASE, SIMON, 1769.*             | 1753. Rodman, Joseph, 1767.            |
| 1747. PHILLIPS, JOSEPH, 1753.          | 1755. Rogers, John.                    |
| 1749. Pinnegar, William.               | 1758. Redwood, Jonas Langford, 1781.*  |
| 1749. Potter, Rowse, 1786.*            | 1758. Redwood, William, 1784.*         |
| 1769. Pease, Simon, 1777.*             | 1758. Rivera, Jacob Rodriguez, 1789.*  |
| 1786. Potter, Thomas.                  | 1764. Redwood, Abraham, jun.           |
| 1810. Perry, Oliver Hazard, 1819.*     | 1765. Rome, George, 1773.              |
| 1810. Price, John, 1819.               | 1767. Rumreil, Thomas, 1775.           |
| 1813. Pearce, Dutee J., 1820.          | 1789. Rivera, Abraham R.               |
| 1813. Pearce, Hannah, 1819.            | 1791. Richardson, Jacob.               |
| 1819. Perry, Elizabeth, 1858.          | 1791. Robinson, Joseph Jacobs.         |
| 1821. Peckham, Isaac C., 1835.         | 1810. Richmond, Perez O., 1819.        |
| 1821. Pitman, Thomas G., 1846.         | 1810. Robinson, Robert, 1828.          |
| 1821. Potter, Henry, 1842.             | 1810. Rodman, John, 1819.              |
| 1828. Pearce, Dutee J., 1850.          | 1810. Rousmaniere, Lewis.              |
| 1836. Peckham, Francis B., 1840.       | 1810. Rogers, Robert, 1835.*           |
| 1840. Peckham, Job A.                  | 1810. Ruggles, Benjamin, 1818.*        |
| 1842. Perry, Christopher Grant, 1854.* | 1813. Randolph, Richard K., 1849.*     |
| 1847. Peckham, Francis B.              | 1814. Robbins, Asher, 1820.            |
| 1851. Potter, Oliver.                  | 1818. Ruggles, Benjamin, Estate of.    |
| 1858. Paine, John.                     | 1818. Ruggles, Nathaniel S., 1847.*    |
| 1858. Parkman, George F.               | 1820. Robbins, Christopher Ellery.     |
| 1858. Parsons, Usher.                  | 1821. Rathbone, William H., 1826.      |
| 1858. Pearson, John.                   | 1821. Rider, William, 1833.            |
| 1858. Peckham, Abraham T.              | 1821. Rodman, David, 1832.             |
| 1858. Peckham, Felix.                  | 1822. Remington, Peter P., 1830.       |
| 1858. Peckham, Samuel S.               | 1824. Robinson, Stephen Ayrault, 1839. |
| 1858. Peckham, William G.              | 1825. Rhodes, Christopher, jun., 1842. |
| 1858. Pell, Duncan C.                  | 1856. Rhodes, Christopher, 1858.*      |
| 1858. Popple, George, jun.             | 1835. Rogers, William Sanford, 1855.   |
| 1858. Porter, Mary.                    | 1847. Ruggles, Mary L.                 |
| 1858. Porter, Alexander.               | 1849. Riddell, Thomas, 1854.*          |
| 1858. Porter, Anna.                    | 1854. Riddell, Thomas, Estate of.      |
| 1858. Porter, Mary W.                  | 1854. Robeson, Andrew, jun.            |
| 1859. Paddock, Joseph.                 | 1855. Russell, Charles H.              |
| 1859. Palmer, Albert.                  | 1858. Ray, Robert.                     |
| 1859. Peabody, Charles H.              | 1858. Rhodes, James T.                 |
| 1859. Peckham, Mary E.                 | 1858. Rhodes, Mary E.                  |
| 1859. Phinney, Theodore.               | 1858. Russell, William H.              |
| 1860. Pierpont, Henry E.               | 1859. Records, Jonathan.               |
| 1860. Plumb, James B.                  | 1859. Rhoades, Benjamin H.             |
| 1860. Pringle, John J.                 | 1859. Riley, Henry C.                  |
|  | 1860. Randolph, Anne Maria.            |
| 1747. REDWOOD, ABRAHAM, 1788.*         |  |
| 1747. RODMAN, SAMUEL.                  | 1747. SCOTT, EDWARD, 1768.*            |
| 1747. RODMAN, CLARKE, 1752.*           | 1747. SCOTT, JOSEPH, 1764.*            |
| 1747. RODMAN, WALTER, 1753.*           | 1747. SEARING, JAMES, 1755.*           |
| 1747. Robinson, Matthew.               | 1747. SYLVESTER, JOSEPH, 1775.         |

- 
- |                                   |                                     |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1748. Stelle, Isaac, 1763.*       | 1859. Stewart, Anthony.             |
| 1749. Stevens, Robert, 1780.*     | 1860. Sherman, Albert K.            |
| 1749. Stoddard, William, 1778.*   | 1860. Smith, James Y.               |
| 1751. Sherburne, Benjamin, 1771.* | 1860. Stanley, Ira N.               |
| 1751. Stoddard, Robert, 1776.*    | 1860. Stoddard, John C.             |
| 1755. Sears, George.              |                                     |
| 1771. Sherburne, Henry, 1791.     | 1747. TILLINGHAST, JOHN, 1775.*     |
| 1775. Southwick, Solomon, 1797.*  | 1747. THURSTON, JONATHAN, 1761.*    |
| 1780. Stevens, Robert, 2d, 1831.* | 1748. Taggart, Henry, 1774.         |
| 1791. Scott, John.                | 1749. Thurston, Peleg.              |
| 1810. Silliman, Gold S., 1821.    | 1749. Tweedy, John, 1787.*          |
| 1810. Shaw, Henry, 1821.          | 1751. Townsend, Solomon.            |
| 1810. Shaw, Josiah C., 1847.*     | 1761. Taylor, Thomas Teackle.       |
| 1810. Stevens, John W., 1818.     | 1764. Thurston, Edward, jun.        |
| 1815. Smith, Jacob, 1820.         | 1772. Taylor, William.              |
| 1818. Shaw, Alexander H., 1827.   | 1776. Tillinghast, William, 1786.*  |
| 1819. Sessions, Harvey, 1850.*    | 1786. Tillinghast, Nicholas P.      |
| 1821. Sayer, Joshua, 1824.        | 1810. Thurston, John R., 1819.      |
| 1821. Stanhope, Edward, 1842.     | 1810. Taylor, James, 1840.          |
| 1821. Stanhope, John R., 1859.    | 1810. Taylor, Nicholas, 1822.       |
| 1822. Shaw, George C., 1828.      | 1810. Thurston, Charles M., 1819.   |
| 1824. Sweet, Sarah H., 1835.      | 1810. Tower, Levi, 1824.            |
| 1825. Sweet, Nathaniel, 1835.     | 1810. Townsend, John F.             |
| 1831. Stevens, Robert, 3d, 1847.* | 1810. Turner, William, 1837.*       |
| 1832. Swift, Alexander, 1839.     | 1813. Townsend, Solomon, 1819.      |
| 1840. Stevens, Isaac J., 1848.    | 1817. Taylor, William V., 1858.*    |
| 1841. Sherman, Thomas B., 1846.   | 1819. Townsend, Charles F., 1825.   |
| 1841. Sumner, Albert, 1852.       | 1820. Trevett, Eleazer, 1824.       |
| 1842. Sherman, James M., 1847.    | 1823. Tilley, William J., 1832.     |
| 1842. Stevens, John.              | 1831. Tisdale, Benjamin H., 1846.   |
| 1853. Sheffield, William P.       | 1832. Tilley, George W., 1837.      |
| 1855. Sherman, Wanton T.          | 1835. Thurston, Charles M., 1845.   |
| 1856. Sayer, Eliza K.             | 1839. Turner, Henry E.              |
| 1857. Smith, Alfred.              | 1840. Taylor, Robert J.             |
| 1858. Seabury, Thomas M.          | 1850. Turner, Oliver C., 1853.*     |
| 1858. Sears, David.               | 1853. Turner, Peter.                |
| 1858. Sherman, Edward A.          | 1856. Talbot, Francis, 1856.        |
| 1858. Slocum, Marshall C.         | 1857. Tompkins, Tillinghast, 1859.* |
| 1858. Smith, William H.           | 1858. Taylor, Abby W.               |
| 1858. Spencer, Micah W.           | 1858. Thayer, Thatcher.             |
| 1858. Staigg, Richard M.          | 1858. Thurston, Benjamin E.         |
| 1858. Stanton, Robert H.          | 1858. Thurston, William H.          |
| 1858. Stevens, William.           | 1858. Tilley, Benjamin J.           |
| 1858. Swinburne, Daniel T.        | 1858. Tiffany, Henry.               |
| 1858. Swinburne, William J.       | 1858. Tompkins, Frederic.           |
| 1859. Scott, John.                | 1858. Tompkins, Joseph B.           |
| 1859. Scott, Thomas.              | 1858. Townsend, Christopher.        |
| 1859. Sherman, Eliza.             | 1858. Tweedy, Edward.               |
| 1859. Sherman, Robert.            | 1859. Tennant, William C.           |
| 1859. Simmons, Walter B.          | 1859. Thorndike, Sophia.            |
| 1859. Spooner, W. H. D.           | 1859. Tilley, Stockford E.          |
| 1859. Stanhope, Harriet C.        | 1859. Tisdale, Henry.               |



- 
- |                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| 1860. Taylor, John J.               | 1810. Wightman, Benjamin, 1815.         |
| 1860. Tiffany, George.              | 1810. Whitehorne, John G., 1837.        |
| 1860. Tompkins, Hamilton B.         | 1810. Whitehorne, Samuel, 1839.         |
| 1747. UPDIKE, DANIEL, 1757.*        | 1810. Wood, John, 1843.                 |
| 1858. Underwood, Charles S.         | 1810. Wood, Oliver W. W., 1840.         |
| 1747. VERNON, SAMUEL, 1792.*        | 1812. Wanton, George, 1826.             |
| 1747. VERNON, WILLIAM, 1806.*       | 1815. Waite, Daniel, 1819.              |
| 1747. VINAL, WILLIAM.               | 1818. Winslow, Andrew, 1855.            |
| 1753. Vernon, Thomas, 1784.*        | 1822. Whitfield, Charles D., 1847.*     |
| 1806. Vernon, William H., 1840.*    | 1825. Wilbor, Job B.                    |
| 1810. Vaughan, Daniel, 1819.        | 1827. Weaver, Benjamin, 1829.           |
| 1829. Vernon, William.              | 1829. Weaver, Joseph B.                 |
| 1847. Vernon, Samuel B., 1858.*     | 1836. Ward, Samuel, 1841.               |
| 1858. Vernon, Samuel B., Estate of. | 1839. Weston, R. C. J., 1847.           |
| 1858. Van Rensselaer, Alexander.    | 1839. White, Noah.                      |
| 1858. Van Rensselaer, Henry C.      | 1841. Ward, John, 1850.                 |
| 1858. Vose, John W.                 | 1843. Williams, Thomas.                 |
| 1859. Van Lambourg, Emile.          | 1846. Ward, Silas, 1850.                |
| 1747. WANTON, STEPHEN, 1769.*       | 1848. Williams, John D., 1859.          |
| 1747. WARD, SAMUEL, 1775.*          | 1855. Wetmore, William S.               |
| 1747. WARD, THOMAS, 1760.*          | 1855. Wetmore, William S., jun., 1858.* |
| 1747. WICKHAM, BENJAMIN.            | 1855. Wetmore, George P.                |
| 1747. WICKHAM, CHARLES, 1787.*      | 1858. Wetmore, Samuel.                  |
| 1747. WICKHAM, SAMUEL.              | 1858. Wilson, George H.                 |
| 1747. WICKHAM, THOMAS.              | 1858. Wright, H. Allen.                 |
| 1747. Wanton, Gideon.               | 1859. Ward, A. J.                       |
| 1747. Wanton, Joseph.               | 1859. Watson, John H.                   |
| 1747. Whipple, Joseph, jun.         | 1859. Wheeler, Lucy.                    |
| 1748. Wanton, George.               | 1859. Wilbor, John.                     |
| 1749. Wanton, Philip, 1778.*        | 1859. Williams, Hannah B.               |
| 1749. Wilson, Joseph, jun., 1861.   | 1859. Wilson, William B.                |
| 1752. Willett, Francis, 1776.*      | 1859. Wormeley, Caroline T.             |
| 1752. Waterman, Christopher.        | 1860. Watson, James S.                  |
| 1754. Ward, Henry.                  | 1860. West, John.                       |
| 1766. Wickham, Thomas.              | 1860. Wetmore, Annie D.                 |
| 1810. Waring, Edmund J., 1825.      | 1860. Wilbor, Francis.                  |
|                                     | 1860. Winthrop, Benjamin R.             |
|                                     | 1760. Yeates, Samuel.                   |

## HONORARY MEMBERS

OF

## THE REDWOOD LIBRARY AND ATHENÆUM.

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1749. Thomlinson, John, of London.        | 1813. Southwick, Solomon, of Albany.              |
| 1749. Greenleaf, Stephen, of Boston.      | 1835. Lord Lyndhurst.                             |
| 1750. Upham, Rev. Edward, 1770.*          | 1835. Ellis, Hon. Henry Agar.                     |
| 1752. Beach, Rev. John, 1782.*            | 1835. Cooper, J. C., Esq., of London.             |
| 1752. Eyerer, Rev. Nicholas, 1759.*       | 1835. Northumberland, the Duke of.                |
| 1754. Pollen, Rev. Thomas.                | 1835. Bland, Thomas, Esq., of London.             |
| 1755. Stiles, Rev. Ezra, 1795.*           | 1835. Baron Hottinguer, of Paris.                 |
| 1761. Brown, Rev. Marmaduke, 1771.*       | 1835. Edwards, W. F., M.D., of Paris.             |
| 1768. Bissett, Rev. George.               | 1835. Redwood, William, Esq., of Phila.           |
| 1770. Hopkins, Rev. Samuel, 1803.*        | 1835. King, Charles B., of Washington.            |
| 1771. Russmeyer, Rev. Albertus Ludolphus. | 1843. Kent, James, LL.D.                          |
| 1771. Kelley, Rev. Erasmus, 1784.*        | 1843. Touro, Judah, Esq., of N. Orleans.          |
| 1772. Wheeler, Rev. William Willard.      | 1843. Shephard, R. D., Esq., of N. Orleans.       |
| 1772. Dawson, Rev. Henry.                 | 1843. Wheaton, Rev. Salmon, D.D., 1844.*          |
| 1791. Bliss, Rev. William, 1808.*         | 1843. Silliman, Benjamin, LL.D.                   |
| 1791. Eddy, Rev. Michael, 1835.*          | 1843. Hayne, Arthur P., Esq., of Charleston, S.C. |
| 1791. Patten, Rev. William.               | 1843. Weston, Francis R., of Charleston, S.C.     |
| 1791. Smith, Rev. William.                | 1854. Brinley, Francis, Esq., of Boston.          |
| 1791. Smith, Rev. Frederick.              | 1854. Gray, Francis C., Esq., of Boston.          |
| 1791. Thurston, Rev. Gardner, 1802.*      | 1854. Josephs, A. K., Esq., of N. Orleans.        |
| 1801. Dehon, Rev. Theodore, 1817.*        | 1854. Everett, Hon. Edward, LL.D.                 |
| 1801. Bronson, Rev. Abraham.              | 1854. Sparks, Jared, LL.D.                        |
| 1801. Bradley, Rev. Joshua.               | 1854. Cogswell, Joseph G., LL.D.                  |
| 1806. Ward, Rev. John.                    | 1854. Marshall, Benjamin, Esq.                    |
| 1806. Tenny, Rev. Caleb.                  | 1854. Swords, Charles, Esq.                       |
| 1810. Ogilvie, James, Esq.                | 1858. Jewett, C. C., Esq., of Boston.             |
| 1810. Towle, Rev. Samuel.                 | 1858. Olmstead, C.H., Esq., of New Haven.         |
| 1810. Gibson, Rev. John.                  | 1860. Purssord, John, Esq., of London.            |
| 1810. Webb, Rev. Daniel.                  |   |

